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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, WASHINGTON, D. C., May 9, 1885.

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tle to be furnished on the hoof must be steers and bulls or stags), not over 7 years of age, and must not less than 850 pounds gross at each delivery, 1 to December 1, and not less than 800 pounds m December 1 to May 1; no animal to weigh less ber 1, or less than 45 per centum from December 1, excepting in the Territories of Arizona, (cattle on to be natives of that Territory or adjacent New Mexico and the Indian Territory, Nevada from May 1, to December 1, must be not less than ds, gross, at each delivery, and from December 1, o May 1, not less than 700 pounds, gross; no animal to s than 650 pounds, or not less than 45 per centum ne weight.

oe must be figured gross, but for all cows de- nder any contract a discount of twenty (20) per om the proposed price will be made. It will be hat bids for beef for all northern agencies shall hether the cattle were wintered north or south of th line of Kansas.

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will be considered from persons who have in any faulted in any bid heretofore made. Any or all ny part of any bid will be rejected if deemed for interests of the government. Each bid must be ac- d by a certified check or draft upon some United positary or the First National Bank of Los California, payable to the order of the Commis- Indian Affairs, which check or draft shall be not per centum of the amount of supplies pro- be furnished, and shall be forfeited to the ites in case any bidder receiving an award shall to execute promptly a contract with good and sureties according to the terms of this bid, other- neglect to do the bidder. Bids not accompanied fied check or draft will not be considered.

JOHN D. C. ATKINS, Commissioner.

ST. LOUIS, May 19, 1885.

E is hereby given that the annual meeting of kholders of the Chas. P. Chouteau Transporta- pany will be held at the office of said company, irth and Wood street, St. Louis, on Wednesday, 5, for the election of directors and transacting business as may be brought before the meeting. from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

C. C. MAFFITT, President.

. FUSZ, Secretary.

ST. LOUIS, May 19, 1885.

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HOW HE RECEIVES.

The Manner in Which the President Performs an Arduous Duty.

Troubles Encountered by Reformers Who Desire to Consult With Cabinet Officers—Attorney-General Garland and His Quarters—Pick-Ups Among the Federal Departments at the Capital.

Special Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 24.—If the heads of departments were to listen to all the stories that people want to tell them, they would be chattering idiots at the end of a month's service. But they don't listen to them. A man in Bumtown who thinks there ought to be a change in the post office at his place, gets together a lot of facts or allegations which, he feels sure, will make a vacancy the minute Postmaster-General Vilas hears them stated. He goes forthwith to Washington to tell the Postmaster-General. Nobody interferes with him till he gets inside the post office building, and then every blamed man he meets interferes with him. He wants to see the Postmaster-General and nobody else, but they insist upon seeing everybody else and not the Postmaster-General. Every time he heads for the office of the man he came to see, he gets switched off and shunted around until at last he doesn't know which way's north. The first man to bother him is what he denominates to his friends on his return home as an "impudent nigger." As a matter of fact the negro is not impudent at all. He is only provoking. It is his duty to sit at a little table in the main corridor, outside of the office to which he is attached, and to take charge of any one who comes along looking for the officer for whom he does duty as a sort of sentry and messenger. This is a feature in every one of the Federal Departments. A few white men are in this service, but a very large majority are colored. Some are very good-looking, and nearly all are bright and intelligent. Their little desks dot the long corridors at short intervals, in front of each desk being an arm chair and a rug. They obey orders and exercise no discretion. When the gentleman from Bumtown announces his intention of consulting the Postmaster-General,

THE SENTRY DOES NOT DEMUR,

but leads him into a little ante-room, seats him and leaves him. Presently the clerk on duty there reaches him in his order, and asks his business. This is at first resented, but the clerk insists, and finally the Bumtown scandal is exposed. The clerk manifests neither amazement nor surprise, but rings a bell. The sentry reappears, and is instructed to take this gentleman to another division. All is perfectly courteous, but protests avail nothing, and the Bumtown reformer is led all around Robin's barn to an office, where another gentlemanly party with another sentry outside his door listens to a statement of the business in hand. He, too, fails to get excited at the recital, but at its conclusion tells the reformer to reduce it to writing and file it somewhere else, so it can be reached in its regular order. "Regular order" is all the rage here. To be told to "put it in writing" under such circumstances as these is about as exasperating as to be told to "hire a hall;" and if Mr. Bumtown explodes and requests the whole kit of hem to go to the bow-wows, his offense is not altogether without palliation. He goes home so mad that he can not even recollect the name of the man he came here to see, and "swowing" that he'll never vote the Democratic ticket again. And yet these regulations are based on excellent reasons. The above case is, of course, hypothetical, and not strictly accurate, but it illustrates the methods which have been rendered absolutely necessary in all the departments. It would be manifestly impossible for the members of the Cabinet to give audience to all who desire to see them, and even though they could find time for it, no good end could be served, as all such business must be conducted with system, and it would be very unsafe to trust to verbal statements and memory. An officer could dispose of ten cases, if properly presented, in the same time it would take him to hear the statement of one man in a case where he was interested. Hence

THE HEADING-OFF PROCESS.

In all of the departments the officials are scrupulously polite and very patient in listening to callers, however verbose they may be in stating their business; and nobody need go wrong for lack of good advice from experienced men, provided he will only ask for it. Notwithstanding the protection which their subordinates afford them, the Cabinet ministers are heavily overworked men, and they have little time for recreation. The greatest sufferer, seemingly, is Secretary Bayard, whose face is becoming very careworn, and, although he continues steadily at his work, it is plain that his health is giving away. It is a current report here, and it finds many believers, that he intends resigning at a very early day. His duties would be much more arduous than they are but for his excellent selection of an assistant. Governor Porter, in that position, has proven himself a treasurer to his chief, and although he has been in Washington but a short time, he has strongly established himself in the respect and esteem of those who have any part in the government or any business with it. His office adjoins that of Secretary Bayard in the magnificent, but incomplete, edifice which now accommodates the State, War and Navy Departments, and the same hospitable characteristics mark his quarters that were so often remarked concerning the executive offices of Tennessee when he was its Governor. He relieves the Secretary of an immense amount of annoying business, but never seems to be

TOO BUSY TO TALK

to anybody who calls upon him.

The Cabinet members who stand their work the best are Manning and Whitney, both of whom are well accustomed to perfect system in business, both of whom are very positive and self-reliant in character, and both of whom are possessed of great vital energy. Postmaster-General Vilas, who is of a nervous temperament, and whose training as a lawyer did not specially fit him for the work in his department, is showing the evidences of the strain upon him, but he is a man of indomitable pluck, and laughs at the friends who advise him to sleep more and work less.

Attorney-General Garland is not so heavily laden as the other members of the Cabinet, but if he were his robust frame and splendid digestion would carry him through without injury. The building which serves as headquarters for his department is not nearly so large or handsome as the Treasury, State or Interior buildings, but those who succeed in passing the cerberus that guards his ante-room soon discover that his office is one of the finest apartments in Washington. It is reached by passing through three outer rooms, all of which are carpeted and upholstered in royal style. His audience chamber is very large and almost square. He sits at a broad, heavy, flat desk exactly in the center of the room, while his secretary occupies the opposite side thereof. The room is fitted in a style suggestive of the luxuriant taste of ex-Attorney-General Brewster, and it must have cost a small fortune. The furniture is of black wood—ebony, I think—and the upholstering is in morocco. The carpet is soft and velvety, the walls bear embossed paper to match, and although there is considerable gilt in the decorations,

A RICH, DARK TONE PREVAILS.

Although full of dignity, Mr. Garland is genial and easy of approach. His bright eyes, square smiling face, and sturdy frame all indicate good living, a sound liver and a sanguine temperament. His face struck me as bearing quite a resemblance to that of Sam Knox of St. Louis as he looked five years ago. The Maxwell extradition matter being mentioned, he expressed a perfect confidence that there would be no trouble whatever in extraditing the man, declaring, however, his willingness to render any assistance in the premises that circumstances might suggest.

Of all high officials at Washington, however, the President is the easiest to reach. His reception arrangements are such that any citizen, however humble, can go to him with the assurance of a pleasant greeting, and without having to overcome the obstacles that hedge about the heads of departments.

The White House grounds are as open to the public as though they were part of a public park. With a dimension of about three hundred yards each way, they are deeply shaded by sturdy old fore st trees, are kept in excellent order, and have just enough irregularity of surface to give good landscape effects. Many of the rustic seats and iron benches which are scattered all through the grounds are occupied during all hours of the day, in fine weather, by visitors who divide their time between reading and watching the almost unbroken procession of people moving to and from the President's residence. A front view of the latter reminds a St. Louisan of the Court House in his own city,

WITH THE DOME TAKEN OFF,

and the wings brought out flush with the Fourth street side. The height is about the same, the color is very nearly the same, and the style of architecture is much similar. If a person had read no description of the building he would be greatly disappointed by the President's residence. It lies in such a position as to form the cross-bar of a great letter H, the Treasury building and the palace of the State Department, which bound the grounds at the east and west, forming the upright strokes thereof. An immense conservatory carries out the line of the White House almost to the western line of the grounds. The main entrance to the White House is open at all hours of the day, and the visitors are not expected to either ring or take off their hats on entering the large, square hallway. Ushers are at hand to direct callers to the reception rooms, but there are no hindrances whatever, whether a man be accompanied by an official or not. A long flight of stairs and a broad and darkened corridor, to which potted plants give a conservatory effect, lead to the reception room adjoining the Cabinet chamber. It is oval in shape and of dimensions about forty by twenty feet. Its decorations are not striking in character, and the central figure is President Cleveland, who is recognized without any difficulty. He is a great artist in the work of reception. All arrivals await their turn to speak to him, and in so doing they range themselves along the walls of the room, forming a curved line, and presenting in the variety of dress, attitude and facial characteristics the aspect of a very awkward squad. Some of the waiting ones appear to be in a very nervous state, and it is almost painful to watch them as they fumble their hats with both hands, or seize the lapels of their respective coats with a grip which, although intended to indicate perfect self-possession, only suggests a disposition to strip the garment off if anybody

WILL JUST SAY THE WORD.

Others in the line have been there before, and they lean composedly on an umbrella, or move smilingly around with hands down, taking manifest pains to let it appear that really this thing of calling on the President is an every-day matter with them. Meanwhile, everybody gazes intently at the strong, broad figure of the President, as he talks in a low and earnest tone with the party whose turn for an audience has come. The President wears a well-fitting suit of black, and seems to be in no hurry at all, no matter how long the line of waiters. Having finished an interview he always shakes hands with the caller, and turning to the next in order receives him with a smile as though he were meeting an old friend. His hand is large and warm, and its grasp is hearty. If a man has come with no other business than to see the President and shake hands, he naturally feels a little embarrassment after introducing himself, or being introduced; but Mr. Cleveland appreciates the situation fully and relieves the caller of all embarrassment by some easy question about the State or city the caller hails from. He never shows any sign of impatience, and during his talk seems thoroughly wrapped up in whatever the subject may be. He has a habit of standing squarely with feet apart and throws his weight alternately on his heels and toes. He is so easy of motion that he leaves no impression of fatness, but rather of solidity and strength. Whether the caller be bashful or persistent, he disposes of him in a given time with such adroitness as to make it appear, even to the visitor himself, that it was he and not the President who had called "time." The President makes it a point never to delay the Cabinet, and promptly at 12 o'clock he bows himself out of the room and up a short flight of steps into the Cabinet chamber, where the members are always on time.

All of this makes it appear as though there were little or no privacy in the White House, but a little investigation shows that the west end of the House is not to be invaded with the same freedom as that part in which receptions are held.

ADJOURNED SINE DIE.

The Trunk Line Presidents Will Not Attend Friday's Conference.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Kiernan's News Agency says: There will be no meeting at Commissioner Fink's office until 3 p. m., when the Chicago Committee convenes to talk over matters generally. It is hardly likely that the Trunk Line presidents will be in session to-morrow, as a number have left town and notified the Commissioner of their inability to attend Friday's conference, consequently Tuesday's adjournment may be considered as sine die.

The U. S. Ballot Box Co.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., May 28.—The United States Ballot Box Company, to be located at Chicago, was licensed by the Secretary of State to-day, as a corporation of the State, for the manufacture of ballot boxes, with $500,000 capital stock. The incorporators are L. C. Whiteside, Franklin D. Gray, U. P. Smith and J. R. Smith.

A Milliner Assigns.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., May 28.—John J. Van Leuven, milliner, assigned last night to J. Edward Earle. The liabilities are $85,000, $10,000 of which is held as as a mortgage by his wife. His assets consist of stock only, estimated at about $15,000. Dwyrus Brothers, of Chicago, had yesterday commenced suit against Van Leuven to collect $2,000 due for goods purchased.

LIZZIE'S LOVER.

A Beautiful Girl Ends Her Blighted Life.

Miss Spinler's Mad Infatuation for a Fast and Worthless Young Man—A Bitter Quarrel Between the Lovers—The Suicide in a Public Street.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 28.—A remarkably pretty girl, Miss Lizzie Spinler, of No. 138 Gwynett street, Brooklyn, Eastern District, has for seven years been employed in the tailoring establishment of Louis Dell, No. 16 Walton street, and her beauty brought her many suitors of her own station in life. The girl, who a short time ago passed her 22d birthday, although very fond of amusement and attending parties and balls with many young men, never showed any marked preference for any of her suitors until about three years ago, when Eugene Ballay, a good-looking young man, who was supposed to be independently well-off, and entirely above working for his living, appeared upon the scene. He at once made love to her and her surrender was complete, and since that time the two young people have been

KEEPING COMPANY.

For a short time all apparently went well with the lovers, and then ugly stories got abroad about Ballay's character. The young man was known to have extravagant tastes, was what was called "fast," and was not the kind of a lover to make a humble sewing girl his wife. But the intimacy between them was kept up. Lizzie absolutely refusing to accept "attentions" from any other suitor, and devoting all her leisure time to the society of her lover. A short time ago, it is said, Lizzie's employer spoke to her about Eugene's previous manner of living, of his reputation, and warned her if she valued her honor to sever all connection with him. The girl cried and promised to follow her kind-hearted employer's advice. Within the past few weeks Lizzie's conduct has been of the most variable kind. Sometimes she was as gay, apparently, and light hearted as a child, while at others she was morose, cast down and despondent. Some trouble, it was evident, was preying upon her mind, and her benavior excited much comment among her friends. Monday afternoon Lizzie went shopping in New York with two friends, and never appeared happier in her life. Just before returning to Brooklyn, she

HAD HER PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN,

saying her mother might want one of her. She returned to her friend's house, in Wallabout street, where she staid until about 7 o'clock, and then went away. She did not go home, however, and the first tidings her parents had of her was on Tuesday evening when they got this note from her: "Dear Mamma: Don't be worried about me. I am all right. Will explain my absence and return to you soon. Lizzie." Where the girl staid in the meantime is not known, but on Tuesday she sent this note to Eugene, addressing him at Turn Hall on Meserole street, where she knew he would get it: "Eugene: You will please be kind enough to see me to-night at 10 o'clock without fail, corner Union avenue, at the church, and if you want to see me sooner call at the same place where we were last night. By so doing you will greatly oblige, yours always, Lizzie. P. S.—Please, without fail."

Shortly after 10 o'clock on Tuesday night, Ballay joined his sweetheart at the appointed place, and together they went to Berger's eating saloon, Union avenue, with D. Webster Haines of 57 Lynch street, a chum of Eugene's. About two hours were consumed in this place, during which, from all reports, Lizzie pleaded with her lover to marry her. He tried to conciliate her with evasive answers, and a stormy scene ensued. About what happened after 11 o'clock there is some doubt, but at any rate, just at midnight the party left the saloon and walked slowly down Union avenue. Eugene left the girl and his friend together after they had gone but a short distance, and, saying that he had an engagement to attend to, started down S. Fifth street. He had not gone twenty feet, when Lizzie quietly

DREW A SMALL PEARL-HANDLED REVOLVER

from her dress pocket, and, placing the muzzle against her left breast, pulled the trigger before her companion could interfere. The startling report attracted some belated pedestrians who, on arriving at the corner, found the young girl lying gasping in Haines' arms, a stream of blood welling up from the self-inflicted wound. The unfortunate girl was assisted back to the entrance of the restaurant she had left, where a chair was given her and she sank into it, dying. When Ambulance Surgeon Lynan arrived she had breathed her last, without having uttered a word from the time the fatal shot was fired. Her body was taken to the Stagg Street Police Station, and officers Treuchard and Sprague arrested Ballay and Haines, taking them to the same precinct. Both men were very reticent about the immediate cause of the suicide, saying that it was the result of a love affair. Eugene told the Sergeant that Lizzie had asked him to continue to visit her, and that he had said that he would. Haines said that there was

A SCENE IN THE RESTAURANT,

but he didn't know what it was about. The body of the unfortunate girl remained in the station all night and yesterday morning, by permission of Coroner Hesse, it was removed to her parents' home. Neither Mr. nor Mrs. Spinler could suggest any other reason for the girl's suicide than that her lover deserted her. They are heartbroken, but steadfastly assert that Lizzie was as pure and good as an angel. The pistol she used was an ornamental one of 22 calibre. Mary Wolf of No. 177 Harrison avenue, one of the dead girl's friends, said yesterday that Lizzie had carried the revolver for some weeks, and on one or two occasions had said to her that she intended some day to kill herself with it. Ballay, who lives at 333 S. Bird, and Haines, his friend, are well known in the Sixteenth Ward as fast young men, a little too fond of spending money. Ballay's father is reputed to be rich, and for a short time past Eugene has been employed in the glass business. He had $325 in his pocket when arrested, and, with his friend, was held for examination. While there was nothing apparently to contradict the theory, yet there are those who talk of murder as the cause of death and refuse to believe the suicide story. Coroner Hesse held an inquest yesterday afternoon, at which Ballay and his friend testified that there had been no quarrel in the restaurant. The conversation between Ballay and the girl had not been "exactly pleasant," they said, but

NO OPEN QUARREL HAD OCCURRED.

Mary Wolf, the dead girl's friend, said that when Lizzie was 16 years old, she was very much in love with a young man who disappeared in a day without an hour's warning. Lizzie was greatly affected over her lover's desertion, and for a time it was thought she would lose her reason. Lizzie, Mary said, had shown her the revolver with which she killed herself a few days ago, and said that a friend, whose name she had sworn not to reveal, had given it to her. The jury rendered a verdict that the girl had committed suicide and the Coroner discharged Ballay and and Haines from custody.

LING AH DIVE.

The Chinese Murderer Ordered Removed to an Insane Asylum.

JOLIET, ILL., May 28.—Ling Ah Dive, the Chinese convict sentenced for life from Chicago in 1883, for assassinating a fellow Celestial, has been declared insane. The prison physician has ordered him to be transferred to the Kankakee Insane Asylum much to the relief of Ling Ah Dive's fellow-convicts, who stood in great dread of the treacherous heathen. He has made several attempts during the past year to kill other convicts, stabbing one through the back, and nearly chopping the head off of another with a hatchet.

The Cattle Kings' Railway.

WICHITA, KAN., May 28.—Prominent cattlemen of this city, Dodge City and St. Louis have chartered a railway to run from Dodge City to Englewood, Kas., a distance of seventy-five miles southward from the Arkansas River, to the Indian Territory line. The rapid settlement of the country south of Dodge City, will this year prevent the annual drive of cattle from the Territory and Pan-handle across Southern Kansas to Dodge City. Hence the necessity of a new line, with a terminus at or near the Territory line, and on account of its location and many natural advantages, the new cattle town of Englewood has been selected as the southern terminus of the new railway. The line is called "The Cattle Kings' Railway Company."

KAISER WILHELM.

The Emperor of Germany Reported Dangerously Ill.

The Imperial Family Summoned—Communists in Paris Defiant and Threatening a Demonstration at Victor Hugo's Funeral—Banquet to Henry M. Stanley—Foreign News.

BERLIN, May 28.—Emperor William is somewhat worse this morning. The intestinal trouble became more serious yesterday afternoon, and the Emperor passed a restless night. The Imperial family was summoned from Potsdam.

NEUTRALIZING THE SUEZ CANAL.

The draft of the proposed treaty neutralizing the Suez Canal is published to-day. It consists of seventeen articles.

THE EMPEROR'S CONDITION IMPROVED.

The official bulletin issued this afternoon announces that since the last bulletin the Emperor has obtained several hours much needed repose, and that his condition is greatly improved.

THE EMPEROR'S CONDITION SERIOUS.

PARIS, May 28.—It is reported here that Emperor William of Germany is more seriously ill than has been admitted officially. The doctors in attendance are said to be quite uneasy in manner.

France.

ANOTHER COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATION.

PARIS, May 28.—The Communists are preparing to make another demonstration this afternoon, when speeches by some of their prominent speakers will be made. The Government thinks it necessary to take special precautions against a Communist outbreak at Victor Hugo's funeral next Monday when the ranks of the Parisian Communists will receive accessions from other sources. The Minister of War has ordered several regiments from the provinces to immediate duty in Paris. These are expected to arrive this evening.

Sarah Bernhardt has asked permission for herself and company to join in the funeral procession.

The Government has ordered the priests to quit the Pantheon within forty-eight hours. Many of the newspapers denounce this order with indignation.

WANTS THIERS AND GAMBETTA IN THE PANTHEON.

PARIS, May 28.—M. Goeblet, Minister of Public Instruction, now that the Pantheon has been restored to its original purposes, desires that the remains of ex-President Thiers and Leon Gambetta, be transferred to the Pantheon, wherein will be placed the body of Victor Hugo. The Communists, in their several meetings held last evening, adopted resolutions declaring that it was their purpose to carry red flags at the funeral of Victor Hugo. The resolutions also warned the Government not to interfere with the Communists in their determination to bear their flags and banners in the great procession.

HUGO'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of Victor Hugo will take place Monday morning.

CAN'T SHOW THE RED FLAG.

In consequence of reports received from the prefects of the various provinces of the Republic, the Government have decided to introduce into the Chambers a bill prohibiting the display, anywhere in France, of all emblems, except the national tricolor and the recognized flags of foreign nations.

England.

THE MARQUIS OF HARTINGTON ILL.

LONDON, May 28.—The Marquis of Hartington, Secretary of State for War, is ill at Dublin, and his proposed orations at Belfast and elsewhere in Ireland have been abandoned.

BORNEO WINS.

This was the third day of the Manchester Whitsuntide meeting. The race for the Manchester stake of 9,000 sovereigns added to a handicap sweepstakes of 25 sovereigns each, was won by Mr. R. Jardine's four-year old chestnut colt Borneo.

THE STANLEY BANQUET.

The Baptist Missionary Society gave a breakfast to-day to Mr. Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer. Mr. Joseph Tritton, a prominent banker, presided. In his address he thanked Mr. Stanley for opening up the way to the Christinization of Africa, and for helping the missionaries to secure stations and to extend the influences of their teachings. An address in the nature of an eulogium was then formally presented by the Baptist Mission Society to their guests. Mr. Stanley, in his reply, said that he was glad to have had the opportunity of helping the missionaries, and of obtaining, in return, their help to teach the natives. Formerly he ill understood the missionaries. However, since that, he had seen Livingston. He recognized in him the type of a nobly and spiritual manhood. The real work of the missionary was hard, his privations were great, his worldly reward small. In conclusion, Mr. Stanley expressed the hope that the Congo country would soon be well supplied with missionaries, and he urged the society to be very careful about the kind of men they sent out as missionaries to Africa. "Do not," he said, "send young men without first having taught them the practical life necessary to success, the same as you teach children you wish to live long. Dead Missionaries are of no more value than other dead men. Gordon dead, is valueless. If he had lived the civilization of the Soudan, which received its deathblow in Gordon's murder, would have been dawning, and we could have seen the summer of civilization dawning in the interior of Africa."

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY.

During the British naval manœuvers off Portland, England, and in Bantry Bay, Ireland, Admiral Sir G. T. P. Hornby, who has been appointed to the chief command of the fleet of fifteen iron-clads which will take part in the demonstration, will have sealed orders for service in a foreign station in order to be prepared for any eventuality. Should occasion arise for the departure of Admiral Hornsby's fleet to a a foreign station he will be relieved of his present command at Portsmouth.

THE MASTERS WIN.

The great strike of the Yorkshire miners has ended, the miners finally accepting the reduction in their wages which had been proposed in the first place at a conference of the men and masters.

ENGLISH AND RUSSIAN SECURITIES.

12:30 P. M.—Consols opened at 100 3-8 for both accounts.

4:30 P. M.—Consols 100 7-16.

The Dominion.

THE SALVATION ARMY.

TORONTO, May 28.—Word has been received that Gen. Booth of the Salvation Army, will arrive here Saturday. He has ordered the Toronto detachment to form a brigade for service in the Northwest among the Indians and halfbreeds. Several Montreal salvationists have signified their desire to join the brigade. A large number here have volunteered, and a selection will shortly be made. The brigade will proceed to the Northwest on the arrival of Gen. Booth.

DENIES THE REPORTS.

Capt. Alfred Aylewaard Declares He Had Nothing to do With Riel's Revolt.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Capt. Alfred Aylewaard, whom a dispatch from London in yesterday's papers charged with having incited Riel's revolt, is in this city. He says that the London story, with one or two trifling exceptions, is utterly untrue. That story alleged that Aylewaard arrived in London from New York in January last; that he then went to Paris for the purpose of furthering a movement among the French population of Canada for separation from Great Britain; that both at London and Paris he boasted that he would soon again prove a thorn in the side of the British Government, and that in March, on sailing for New York from Havre, he gave his address as St. Paul, Minn.

The story followed his fortunes to the Northwest, and took him into Dakota with thirty six armed men and three mule trains, provisioned for thirty days. Afterward it was, according to the story, his hand that directed Riel at Batouche and elsewhere.

"I was charged with being 'number one,'" said Capt. Aylewaard, "and now I am mixed up with Riel's rebellion. The truth is that I haven't been in London for four years. When I was there I wrote for several journals over my own name, so that the time I left can be easily fixed. Last winter I was in North Carolina. I left there for here on January 15 on business connected with some mining property in that section, and have since then been here. I never knew Gen. Mulien, with whom I am said to have gone West from St. Paul. The nearest I came to relations with Riel was when the managing editor of a newspaper in this city offered to send me as correspondent from Riel's side. I was about to start when the account came of Riel's defeat. The only true items in the dispatch relate to my going to Africa in 1868, because I was in danger of assassination from members of the "Brotherhood," and to my demand in April, 1883, for an investigation of the charges on which I was pursued twenty years before. That demand was made in this city, because the scoundrels who had attempted my life were then here. They were too cowardly to give me a hearing, or to state their charges. Since that time I have frequently appeared on platforms at public meetings, and have fully justified myself as I had done abroad for everything I did. Now, a new slander crops out. In Dublin, in 1868, I heard there was a man going about with my name, making mischief. I wonder if he could have started up again? That is the only way I can explain it, if the dispatch from London was honestly meant."

Will Open Soon,

A branch of Sprague's Delicatessen Lunch Room, 712 Olive street.

THE PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY.

A Committee Appointed to Consider a Plan For Raising $150,000.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, May 28.—At the session of the Presbyterian General Assembly this morning a committee of five elders was appointed to consider a plan for raising $150,000, to liquidate the debt of the Home and Foreign Mission Board. A committee consisting of John Stevenson of Philadelphia, C. D. Drake of Washington, D. C., and K. Van Rennsalear of New York, was appointed in accordance with the resolution offered at a meeting of elders to raise $300,000 as an additional endowment for the Board of Ministerial Relief. The special committee which was appointed to consider the overtures on the transfer of the Board of Missions of Freedmen to that of Home Missons reported against such a transfer. Laid over for discussion. It was reported that the overtures on reduced representation had been answered in the affirmative. The effect of this overture is to reduce the size of the Assembly to 136 members. The standing Committee on Board of Education reported that the total receipts for the year of the Board were $72,743.

It began the year with a debt of $17,000, which has been reduced to $6,000. It has under its care 619 students, forty-two more than last year.

For Sale at Public Auction.

Forty-six private boxes in the grand stand at the Fair Ground race course will be sold to the highest bidder for the seven days of the inaugural spring meeting—June 6 to 13—on Saturday, the 30th inst., at 5:30 o'clock p. m.

FESTUS J. WADE, Secretary.

WILL COME UP NEXT TIME.

Important Matters Before the Presbyterian General Assembly South.

GALVESTON, TEX., May 28.—A special to the News from Houston, says: At last night's session of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church South, on the amendments to the confession of faith, omitting the provision forbidding marriage with a deceased wife's sister, forty-eight presbyteries were reported as concurring, seven as not concurring, and fourteen as not replying. The concurrence of three-fourths being necessary, the subject was postponed until the next Assembly. The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported on papers pertaining to the power of Evangelists in foreign fields, and after a strong opposition, the report was adopted. It empowers a single missionary through his presbytery to ordain native ministers.

LEAVE TO-MORROW NIGHT.

The President and Some of the Cabinet to Visit New York.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—The President will leave Washington for New York to-morrow night, and will be accompanied by Secretaries Whitney and Endicott and Postmaster-General Vilas, and by Secretary Lamar, in case his health will permit. The party expect to return on Sunday.

Titsworth, the Forger.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

WINCHESTER, IND., May 28.—Sheriff Musser of Parke County, Ind., who came down this morning after Peter Titsworth, the forger, left at noon today. Titsworth lately broke jail at Rockville, where he was confined for forgery. He is 22 years of age, and has served two terms in the Penitentiary, the last term for robbing the Treasurer's office of Parke County of a large amount of money.

General Grant.

NEW YORK, May 28.—"Father had a good night and is feeling very well this morning," said Colonel Fred Grant this morning. The General slept shortly after 11 p. m., and with few intervals of wakefulness, slept until 8 o'clock this morning.

A Shingle Mill Burned.

WHITEHALL, MICH., May 28.—Fire last night, originating in the fire room, destroyed Wm. F. Nufer's shingle mill with about 14,000,000 shingles, causing a loss of $36,000; insurance $6,000. Fifty men are thrown out of work by the fire.

THE ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE.

Reconsideration of the Grain Inspection Bill—To-day's Proceedings.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., May 28.—As soon as the reading of a few of the first pages of the Journal had been finished in the House this morning, Judge Messick prevailed upon the members on both sides to allow the East St. Louis grain inspection bill, introduced by Hiatt, to be taken from the order of unfinished business for amendment. The bill has been slumbering undisturbed for some two months. Upon the announcement of Messick's plan, objection disappeared and the bill was brought to the front. Then, upon Messick's suggestion, the committee amendment was voted down and a new amendment was adopted which will exempt from the provisions of the act any county wherein a city of more than 100,000 is situated. This satisfied those who were opposed to the passage of any act which would permit the establishment of a State, inspection department at South Chicago, and the bill was allowed to be ordered engrossed for a third reading. Its consideration for final action was made a special order for next Wednesday morning.

THE EAST ST. LOUIS SCRIP BILL.

Senator Merritt succeeded in getting the East St. Louis scrip bill, which makes appropriations for the payment of the scrip issued by the Board of Police Commissioners of the city of East St. Louis for the payment of a police force, appointed by said commissioners for the years 1867, 1868, 1869 and 1870, replaced on the calendar, and it was laid on the table a few days ago on its final passage, but regains its position on the third reading, by the adoption of Kerritt's motion to reconsider the vote. A joint resolution which Tubbs introduced was adopted, making June 17 the day for final adjournment, and sent to the House for its concurrence. In executive session the following nominations, previously made by Governor Oglesby, were concurred in almost unanimously: O. H. Wright, Joliet Penitentiary Commissioner; Jacob Grock, Chester Penitentiary Commissioner; G. F. Brown, Isaac Taylor and B. Lisbykaschi, Canal Commissioners; W. B. Sandham, A. L. Atwood, W. H. Green, E. A. Gastman and Thos. Slade, members of the State Board of Education; T. B. Haller, member of the State Board of Charities; M. F. Hoskinson, Public Administrator of Wabash County; Edward C. Fellman, Pontiac Reform School Trustee. A list of over 700 notaries public was presented and confirmed without reading. The only negative vote on the confirmations was cast by Senator White of Cook.

THE PLEURO-PNEUMONIA BILL.

The pleuro-pneumonia bill, providing for a State Veterinary Commission, and appropriating $100,000 for the suppression of the disease, was passed in the Senate. There was a contest of several hours' duration in the House over the clause which seeks to reduce the penalty imposed on delinquent tax-payers from 20 to 10 per cent. The bill, was passed by a close vote, and the Senate bills making appropriations for the following institutions were passed by the Senate: Chester Penitentiary, Lincoln Feeble Minded Asylum, Normal University at Normal.

PRESIDENTIAL POSTMASTERS.

A Big Batch of Appointees—A Crooked Postmaster Bounced.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—The President to-day commissioned the following postmasters: John A. R. Varner, Lexington, Va.; Wm. Henry Ritenour, Harrisonburg, Va.; Daniel V. O'Leary, Albany, N. Y.; Josephus P. DeJarnette, Chetopa, Kan.; Adelbert B. Crampton, Delphi, Ind., Curtis Reed, Menosha, Wis.; James D. Watson, Mayfield, Ky.; Robert Eastin, Columbia, Mo.; George H. Sanders, Ida Grove, Iowa; Chas. D. Kress, Lewiston, Idaho Ty.

David Quackenbush, at Mt. Vernon, N. Y.; vice Andrew Bridgeman, suspended. The suspended postmaster was on two different occasion, during the past year, shown to have used the public funds for private purposes, once to the amount of $832, which was made good by his friends, and again he was found deficient in his money order funds to the amount of $1,450, which was also made good by his sureties. It was also found that his books were not properly kept. Although arrested by the inspector, he was subsequently allowed to take his office at January, which he has held up to this time. Wm. Steiner at Oak Park, Ill., vice E. W. Phelps, commissioned expired. Andrew Borders, Sparta, Ill., vice J. D. Watson, commission expired; Enoch A. Malood, Palmyra, Mo., vice P. C. Lane, commission expired; Sanford L. Sturtevant, Fullerton, Neb.; vice ——— S. Odell, office declined. Presidential: Clement Philbrook, Halstead, Kan., vice N. C. Groom, office became Presidential; Wm. M. Martin, Muscogee, I. T., vice Wm. L. Squier, office become Presidential; R. E. Laurenson, Junction City, Kan., vice F. Patterson, commission expired.

Can't Use the Mails.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—The Postmaster-General has forbidden the delivery of money orders and registered letters to the following name1 persons upon inspectors' reports, showing they were engaged in conducting fraudulent schemes by means of the mails: Dr. H. B. Butts alias Dr. Ward & Co. of Louisiana, Mo., and George Mayo of Chicago, publisher of the Post and Courier and the Illinois Agriculturist.

Revenue Collectors Appointed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—The President today appointed the following Collectors of Internal Revenue: Owen A. Wells, for the Third District of Wisconsin; John B. Moloney, for the First District of Michigan.

Our Defenses and Fortifications.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23.—Secretary Endicott president of the board recently appointed to examine and report upon the defenses and fortifications of the United States, has called a meeting of the board to be held at the War Department Wednesday June 3.

Secretary Lamar Ill.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Secretary Lamar was still unable to attend to his duties to-day.

THE SULLIVAN DIVORCE.

John Didn't Want to Support the Whole of Rhode Island.

BOSTON, May 28.—In the Sullivan divorce trial today, the defendant testified that he had never been drunk, though often "full." He swore he had never struck his wife, and that the latter was in the habit of drinking whenever he did. She left him on December 6, 1884, and he had never seen her since till he met her in court. When asked if he ever had any trouble about her relatives, he made the following reply, which caused a general laugh, and even caused the Judge to smile several times: "I had no objection to supporting two or three of her relatives, but I did'nt care about supporting the whole of Rhode Island."

A STRIKE CERTAIN.

The Iron Men Reject the Amalgamated Association's Scale.

PITTSBURG, May 28.—Both the Amalgamated Association and the iron manufacturers are preparing for a strike, and, in view of the developments of the past two days a contest is among the probabilities. A large meeting of iron men was held here to-day. The question was discussed in detail, and it was unanimously resolved not to sign the workmen's scale mailed to the different lodges of the Amalgamated Association yesterday. Letters and telegrams were read from manufacturers in different sections of the country, stating that they did not intend to sign the scale. A number of the letters stated that the concessions already made by the manufacturers were too large. The result of the nail manufacturers' conference at Cincinnati was made known at the meeting. To-morrow all the nail mills in Pittsburg and the West will close down.

HIS BURDEN TOO HEAVY.

Maurice Hueggy, One of the Highland, Ill. Bankers, Commits Suicide.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

EDWARDSVILLE, ILL., May 28.—At 10 this morning Hon. E. M. West received a telegram from Highland, Ill., reading: "Maurice Hueggy has just committed suicide by shooting. Signed, Wm. P. Bradshaw." Mr. Hueggy was one of the firm of F. Ryhiner & Co., the late banking firm at Highland, whose failure has created so much stir in the county, and was to have had a preliminary examination this morning on the charge of embezzlement. Mr. Bradshaw was called to Highland as counsel in the matter.

HUEGY'S SUICIDE.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

HIGHLAND, ILL., May 28.—This morning about 8 o'clock the news spread like wild fire that Moritz Huegy, one of the partners in the bank of Ryhiner & Co., which failed some time ago, had committed suicide. It was investigated, and the report was found to be correct. This morning at 7:45 o'clock he committed the terrible deed. His wife had just been up a little while, and was preparing the breakfast when she heard the report of a pistol in her room. She ran upstairs frantically, exclaiming, "Oh, papa, papa." When she entered the room her eyes met a terrible sight. Huegy was dead. He had shot himself while in bed with a pistol, the ball entering the left temple. To-day he and Mr. Adolph Baudelier, who were arrested last Thursday and placed under bond, were to have their trial. Mr. Huegy has, since the failure, stood at his post and borne all the troubles placed upon him with manly fortitude. It is supposed that it was impossible for him to endure the terrible suspense longer, and he ended his troubles as stated. The trial was to be called at 10 o'clock this morning, but was postponed until this afternoon, when Mr. Baudelier will be tried. The charge brought against them is embezzlement.

THE INDIAN OUTBREAK.

The Troops in Pursuit of the Murderous Apaches.

SILVER CITY, N. M., May 28.—A report has reached here that a small detachment of the Tenth cavalry encountered Chief Geronimo and his band of Apaches in Cook's Canon, through which the Indians were endeavoring to escape to Mexico. The hostiles were driven back with a loss of four killed and twice as many wounded. Two soldiers were killed and eight wounded. Owing to the small number of troops the Indians were not pursued. The detachment is trying to effect a junction with two companies of the Fourth Cavalry, when an active pursuit will be made. The Apaches have been joined by a number of Utes and Navajos, and the band is composed of nearly 200 warriors. The Indians retreated towards Diamond Creek, where the women, numbering nearly 100, preceded them.

DEPREDATIONS BY THE APACHES.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Agent Llewellyn, at the Mescalero agency, New Mexico, has telegraphed the Indian Bureau as follows: "The Apaches, under Geronimo, are now depredating west of the Rio Grande. Two women of Geronomi's camp came in here to-day. I have confined them in the guard house. Major Van Born, commanding at Ft. Stanton, is here to-day. The Mescaleros have tendered him 150 men to accompany his troops should hostiles come down within striking distance. There are twenty-five bucks of the Victoria band, who has ye lived here with the Mescaleros three years. If necessary I will arrest and hold them until the trouble is over. At present they can be depended upon, and will not join the hostiles. The agent has been instructed not to arrest the Victoria Indians as long as they are peaceable, but keep them under surveillance."

NEW COMPLICATIONS.

O'Neil Does Not Go to Auckland—Some Trouble, Too, About Expense Money.

Frank R. O'Neil, who has been named as one of the Government agents to bring Maxwell back from New Zealand, wrote a letter this afternoon to Vice-President Blair of the Police Board, stating that an utterly unexpected contingency had arisen which would make it impossible for him to make the trip. He thanks Mr. Blair for the kindness showed him in the premises, and goes on to state the reasons. It appears that since he returned from Washington on Tuesday night he has received a tender of a very responsible position on the Missouri Republican, where he was formerly employed for several years, and he feels that he cannot afford to decline it.

THE FIGHT STILL CONTINUES.

When the Police Board endeavored last evening to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the expenses of the agents to be sent for Maxwell, the Deputy Auditor intimated that it would not be honored, because the expense should properly be borne by the State. The matter was taken under advisement.

East via Niagara.

Summer travelers should remember that the Wabash route is the only line running new palace Pullman buffet sleepers between St. Louis and Niagara Falls, Albany and Boston without change. Two hours the quickest time to Niagara Falls. Twelve hours the quickest time to Toronto, Montreal and all points on the Grand Trunk Railway. The only Pullman line to New York, via Niagara Falls. Train leaves St. Louis Union Depot daily at 6:40 p. m. Ticket offices at No. 120 N. Fourth street and the Union Depot.

BAD WASHOUTS.

Consul-General Ewing Gone to Washington —Jefferson Jottings.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., May 28.—Several washouts on the branch railroad are reported to-day, obstructing trains beyond Russellville. The extent of the damage has not been learned. Hon. Ephraim B. Ewing, Consol-General to Mexico, left for Washington City to-day to report for instructions to the Department of State, prior to entering upon his consular duties. The Pilgrim Church of Springfield filed articles of association with the Secretary of State to-day, under the chapter incorporating benevolent societies.

SENATOR WARE.

The Superintendent of Yellowstone Park at Washington.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—State Senator D. W. Ware of St. Louis arrived this morning to receive instructions concerning his duties as Superintendent of the Yellowstone National Park, to which he was recently appointed. It is probable that he will remain the remainder of this week. Mr. Robert Goode of St. Louis, who is here on private business, denies that he is an applicant for the District Attorneyship now held by Mr. Bliss.

The Episcopal Convention.

The interesting features of to-day's meeting of the Episcopal Convention were the reports of the St. Luke's Hospital and the discussion of that portion of the Bishop's address which related to divorce reported a preamble and six resolutions setting forth that the levity with which marriage relations were assumed was largely the cause. Lack of Bible reading and home training was largely responsible for marital laxity. Among the remedies proposed were a discussion of family difficulties with the pastor, and a refusal by ministers to baptize the children of divorced people who had remarried, which met with strong opposition.

Mysterious Disappearance.

Harvey D. Fisher, 26 years old and married, mysteriously disappeared from his home, 823 S. Fourth treet on the 8th inst. His wife and two children—the oldest 2 years, the youngest 2 months—are destitute. Fisher had been sick all winter and felt very despondent. He is spoken of as having been very much attached to his family, and his wife is greatly distressed. They are very much in need and should receive prompt attsention from charitably disposed people.

A Big Failure.

MANCHESTER, OHIO, May 28.—Ashenhurst, Rush & Co., millers and coal merchants, have assigned. The liabilities are estimated at $60,000 and the assets at $75,000.

BELLEVILLE.

The striking trench diggers have all resumed work, Mr. Maxwell, the contractor, agreeing to pay $1 35 a day, which is only an increase of ten cents over their former wages.

The Board of Drainage Commissioners was to meet at Centerville Station yesterday, but a majority of the members not being present, the meeting was adjourned until June 6.

The trial of Charles Gross, the defaulting treasurer of the Golden Rule Lodge, was to have taken place yesterday before Squire Guenta, but as the deficit had been made good since the arrest and the lodge officers having no desire to prosecute, the case was dismissed and Gross released.

Mr. Winkelman has accepted the offer made him by the Agricultural Board for the use of his park for the holding of the annual County Fair, next October.

The St. Clair Gun Club has been incorporated, the following gentlemen being chosen directors: John McLean, Capt. Mike Walsh, F. S. Faridy, Henry Jackiesch, Thomas Hannifan, Frank B. Bowman and H. H. Trebis.

The St. Louis Wheel Company received incorporation papers from the Secretary of State to-day. The capital stock is $10,000, and the incorporators Denham Arnold, Chas. Stone, Cola Stone, Joseph Shields, and Harry Shields.

A PITCHED BATTLE.

How the Law Removing Objectionable Houses Will be Evaded.

The Rent of the Old Spruce Street Mission Paid by Neighbors to Prevent Removals in That Locality—A Similar Project to be Set on Foot at Eleventh and Locust Streets—Bitter Warfare Between the Church and Satan to be Inaugurated.

The war between the managers of the Spruce Street Mission, at Sixth and Spruce streets, and some of the people of that neighborhood, which was first mentioned in the POST-DISPATCH several weeks ago, has broken out afresh, as the result of an unsatisfactory conference held yesterday between Mr. E. S. Greenwood of 818 N. Third street, the gentleman who has been conducting the mission, and Messrs. Bowman & Wetherill, the young men who have leased the old church at Sixth and Spruce streets for a storage warehouse, and have entered upon possession, their large sign, "Storage Warehouse," covering the space above the arched doorway, where but recently was posted the notice announcing the religious character of the building. On each side of the "warehouse," whose steeple looks very much out of harmony with the mercantile sign at its base by the low-roofed houses that stretch along the street, and bear their sinful character brazenly stamped upon their doors.

MR. GREENWOOD

was seen to-day by a POST-DISPATCH reporter, as to the nature of the conference and the probability of the church people regaining control of the building. After recounting how the mission was started, and how its insignificant membership at first has grown to commend the mission to every church in the city, all of which facts are familiar to readers of the POST-DISPATCH, Mr. Greenwood said: "Mr. C. R. Garrison, the evangelist; Mr. Robert H. Kern, the lawyer, and I made arrangements yesterday to call upon the lessees of the Mission to see if we could not arrange a satisfactory form holding our services there. On going there and conversing on the subject we were soon aware that there was some obstacle in the way of coming to an amicable understanding. We were informed that a contract had been made by the lessees which stood between us and our services. We asked permission to see the lease and we were painfully surprised at its contents. It was nothing more than an attack on the Mission, which seemed all the worse when we came to find it was dictated by those who find it to their interest that such a condition of things should exist as now defile that portion of the city. That contract was nothing more nor less than an agreement that Bowman & Wetherill should refuse to allow any religious services to be held in that building, and that if that part of the contract should be violated by us, the rent paid by Bowman & Wetherill should be paid for a number of years at the rate of $40 a month by outside parties, the principal one of whom is Mr. Meyer, the druggist at Seventh and Spruce streets. I do not know whether the persons agreeing to pay Bowman & Wetherill's rent thought their business would be injured when the law goes into effect next month making it unlawful to sell liquor within 100 yards of a church, but, anyway, some facts ought to be known. Bowman & Wetherill took possession of the building last Monday, and of course our tenancy expires. I went to the gentlemen and requested the privilege of holding a service there Thursday, which they kindly granted, and accordingly we put out our notice. The next day or so, I think Saturday morning, a delegation, if I can call them that, of the people in that locality went to the firm and said: 'For God's sake, don't let those church people in there again. If you don't let them in again we will agree to pay your rent.' They called attention to the new law and to their desperate condition if they rented to a church which I have referred to was made, and it looks to me very much as if the people of that neighborhood who do not like the proposed new church, to say plain bribery, that's the way it looks to me. One peculiar feature of the case is, that Bowman & Wetherill have as references Mr. C. R. Garrison and Nathan Cole, both of which gentlemen are engaged in Christian work. Mr. Cole being president of the Bethel. Now, it seems to me rather singular that the firm leasing that building should do that, which they must know is obnoxious to the very persons they name as references. Another thing that goes to increase my surprise is that Mr. Bowman is an usher in Dr. Sunday's church—the Church of the Messiah. Now, this subterfuge to defeat us is bound to fail; the Christian people will not allow it to succeed."

MR. KERN,

the attorney, was seen and said: "I was simply called in, professionally, to examine the lease, and saw the contract. I am not at all loath to say that the contract is an outrageous one. I think the church people can get that house back into their hands very easily. If Messrs. Bowman & Wetherill should go back on their contract to prohibit all religious services, I do not think that any jury would award damages for the breach."

Mr. Chas. F. Bowman was in the warehouse when the reporter called his attention to the statements that had been made about the contract. He is a handsome young man of dark complexion, and acknowledged that he performed the duties of usher at Dr. Snyder's Church. He was much surprised that anybody had heard of the existence of any contract and was free to say that he knew of no contract. The statement that such a contract had been signed. When he was informed that there was no question about its being formally drafted by lawyer, he made this explanation: "Saturday morning the people around here came to us and wanted to know, in the light of Thursday night's meeting, if we were running a warehouse or a church. They made us several offers, some of which we rejected."

"By whom were they made?"

"By Mr. Meier, the druggist."

"Were you influenced by their offers to refuse the use of the building to the church people?"

"No; we came in here to conduct a storage business and not to run gospel meetings. We allowed Mr. Greenwood to hold a service here Thursday evening because he had not yet found another place."

"Then you were not bribed to keep out the church people, as Mr. Greenwood alleges?"

"Most certainly not. My partner and I had agreed before any offers were made by these people around here not to allow any more church services, as we did not think we could mingle business and religion."

"If you had already decided to refuse the use of the building to the church people, why did you listen to any offer to ensure that which you had already decided upon yourselves?"

"Well, here is the point exactly. The church people didn't come down with any money or proposition and the others did. The church people may accuse us of being bribed, but we acted on the advice of several business men, who could see in it nothing but a legitimate contract, and neither can I."

ANOTHER CASE.

It was also reported to-day that the owners of the property in the neighborhood of Eleventh and Locust streets had decided to purchase the Y. M. C. A. building to accomplish the same purpose—the defeat of the new law. It is said that the owners of this property claim that it is now useless for any other purposes, that if the present tenants are forced out the property will lie on their hands, and that their proposed plank movement is simply one of self-preservation. The law which is causing all this excitement among property owners goes into effect June 26, and provides that no house of ill-repute shall be allowed to exist within 100 yards of a church, school house, charitable institution, or any place where religious services are held.

HELD IN $2,000 BOND.

A Brutal Stepfather, Who Should be Very Severely Punished.

A preliminary examination was held this morning in the Court of Criminal Correction, before Acting Judge Fauntleroy, in the case of Alex. R. McCormick, who was charged with an attempt to commit an outrageous assault upon Cora Rivers, his little stepdaughter. The child, who is very pretty, and not more than 12 years of age, gave her evidence in a simple, straightforward manner. She stated that her stepfather a few days since persuaded her to take a walk with him in the rear of the family residence, 2409 N. Grand avenue. When they reached the pasture he commenced to take liberties with her person. She tried to get away, and screamed lustily, but he tried to use force. At length her repeated cries "Let me go!" caught the ears of some boys in a neighboring lot, but the fence was too high and they could not reach them. The tap of an officer's club in the vicinity caused her step-father, however, to release his hold, and he made his escape through the pasture, but was subsequently arrested.

Dr. Prewitt, who examined the child after the assault, testified, and McCormick was held to answer to the Grand Jury in the sum of $2,000 in default of which he was sent to Jail. He made a statement in his own behalf to the effect that he simply took the little girl out for a walk and had no intention of committing an outrage. The child, however, began to scream and he at once told her to go back home. McCormick is a man about 40 years of age, tall and slim. He was not represented by counsel and protested his innocence.

THE BAPTIST HOME MISSION.

Report on the Work Among the Indians in the United States.

SARATOGA, N. Y., May 28.—At the morning session of the second day's proceedings of the Baptist Home Mission Society, Dr. Carter made a report on the work among the Indians. He said that there were 320,000 of them in the United States and territories, and that they were increasing in numbers. Two-thirds of them are unevangelized savages. The Government's Indian policy is improving. Hon. J. M. S. Williams questioned the statistics presented by the preceeding speaker. The following officers were elected:

Samuel Colgate of New Jersey, president; J. D. Rockefeller of Ohio, vice-president; H. L. Morehouse of New York, corresponding secretary. The board of managers will select a treasurer. Dr. Faunce reported upon the work among the colored people. Fifteen schools are sustained in the South, with 150 teachers and 3,000 scholars.

Will Open Soon,

A branch of Sprague's Delicatessen Lunch Room, 712 Olive street.

BURGLARY FOR BOARD.

Flora Downs Seeks Food, Shelter and Rest in the Penitentiary.

A Hungry Woman's Desperation, Its Cause and Its Result—A Sad Story of No Work, No Money and No Friends—What the Culprit Says—Is She Insane?

Flora E. Downs, a woman of 27, being hungry, friendly and desperate, at 11 o'clock last night smashed the plate glass window of John Boland's jewelry store, No. 8 S. Fourth street, and took from the shop a package of books and a silver card case and caster. She made no attempt to escape with her booty, and was arrested a few moments later by Officer Bennett. When brought to the Station House her story was got from her by degrees. She was a newspaper writer who had come from the neighborhood of Bristol, England, and had worked in Chicago, Toronto, and the old country and who had but lately come to St. Louis. Here she had been unable to obtain work and had run out of money. Despite her assertions she could find nothing to do, and the poor girl at last concluded that the only thing before her was by some crime to force the law to furnish her food and shelter in prison. She was quite outspoken in announcing that this was her design, and all the circumstances in the case corroborate her story. She was taken to the Chestnut street station, where she was held up for an hour or two, when a policeman came along the railroad track beside a river, and wanted to reach an island. Everybody was looking at her because her clothing was so shabby. Her father, she said, had come to this country to start a school, but did not do well.

DETECTIVE DESMOND

was standing at the corner and heard all the woman said. When he described the Penitentiary to her, and told her how she would be confined in a room with one or two women, and would have to sew constantly, and could be put in a cell at night by herself, she almost broke down. When Desmond suggested that Merrick, Walsh and Phelps' was the store where she gave the alarm she replied in the affirmative and said it would be a nice present to send home. When penitentiary life was described to her she seemed to waver for a moment about accepting employment, but drifted back to her desire to be in prison. She thought they would give her books to keep, or find her work of some kind that she was used to. She had never washed, she said. She could cook a little, but not much. When told that confinement for two or five years for the offence she had committed would break her spirit altogether she remarked, "don't they give three months off for good behavior?" Desmond said yes and asked if she hadn't been reading about penitentiary life. Her reply was "no," that somebody had told her.

The detective watched the girl very closely and turned from the cell with the conviction that she was out of her mind. At this moment a deputy sheriff appeared with

A WARRANT CHARGING BURGLARY AND LARCENY,

and the woman was transferred to the jail up stairs. Going into the jail she stopped to say: "Matches, I'm the kindest regards to my friends outside." The jail door was then closed on her. From her general conduct Desmond remarked that the proper place for her was the lunatic asylum, and that she should not be sent any where else.

Capt. Fruchte intimates that there is method in the girl's madness. She admitted to him that she came here on a pass from the place where she was detained for vagrancy. When asked if that place was Chicago, she would not say and evaded all questioning on the subject.

Fatal Collision at Sea.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The steamer City of Rome which arrived here to-day, reported that on May 25, at 4 p. m. during a dense fog, she collided and sunk the French fishing boat George John, which was lying at anchor. Nine persons, two of the crew, but the remaining twenty-two were lost.

WITH ROPE AND BULLET

Louis Reingruber's Determined Suicide Last Night.

A Self-Hung Corpse That Still Clutched Its Revolver—The Ghastly Find at Seventh and Victor Streets This Morning—The Details of a Mysterious Crime.

When the laborers engaged in the Eau Claire Lumber Company's yard, situated in the block inclosed by Sixth and Seventh and Barton and Victor streets, arrived at work at 6 o'clock this morning, they found that some object of interest had gathered a small crowd of people upon the Seventh street sidewalk, about 100 feet from Barton street. Investigation showed that the attention of the knot of early risers was concentrated upon the body of a man hanging by a rope from a fence board, whose end, projecting a few inches above the top line of the fence, had provided the suicide with a handy point at which to attach the cord, whose loop held his neck in a fatal embrace. In the dead man's right hand was clutched a small one-barreled thirty-eight-caliber derringer, whose charge had been sent in the suicide's left temple, from a hole in which had tricked a small quantity of blood which, escaping the neat suit in which he was dressed, had dyed the ground beneath. The rope from which the man hung was about four feet long, and, as the fence at this point is only about six feet high, the lower part of the body was stretched along the ground, the feet reaching nearly to the sidewalk which is here placed about a yard from the fence, and touching upon either side small piles of lumber, between which was a space of four feet in width, whose seclusion had evidently caused it to be selected as a fit place for carrying out the man's intention. The streets becoming alive with people about this time, the crowd of morbid sight-seers increased rapidly in number, and at 7 o'clock, when the police from the Wyoming Avenue Station arrived and took temporary charge of the corpse,

FULLY 500 MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

stood gazing with hideous wonderment upon the horrible sight. The police attempted to remove the pistol from the corpse-fingers' clutch, but the rigidity of death was not to be denied, and the weapon had

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LOUIS REINGRUBER,
who had resided in one of Kellerman's s on the south side of Franklin avenue, between Eighteenth and Eighteenth streets.

AT REINGRUBER'S HOME.

ner called at the Kellerman Flats on Avenue, between Eighteenth and Nineets, where Reingruber resided for some or to his death. The reporter met ber, the janitress of the flats, and questher about the case. "His wife knows Gruber is dead, and she has gone down to 's house on Sidney street. Neither I nor else in the house know anything about the of death. The Coroner, entified the body, cautioned me not to body about the case. You see although gruber himself was very poor, his family well off, and of course they are anxious he matter kept as quiet as possible. The has promised that the inquest will be kept as can be."

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Gruber so, Reply, however, I knew othing about him. He has lived here for ars and was a very quiet man."

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among other tenants in the Kellerman d to bring out any new matter touching Mr. Reingruber and his wife were well roughout the tenement, but all the details d be gathered amounted to this, that the ere very poor and very affectionate. Sevingruber's neighbors have promised to at the inquest at 2 o'clock this after-

ANOTHER SUICIDE.

rskie, Germ an, 50 years of age, committed ast night by jumping into the cistern in the 1414 N. Thirteenth street. Brekle had been dropsy and hemorrhage of the lungs. He alised what he was doing. The deceased wife and four children.

GOT ANOTHER POLICY.

Reck Held For the Grand Jury On An Insurance Transaction.

Reck, charged with fraud in a matter of rance, had a preliminary examination this in the Court of Criminal Correction. From ence it appeared that the accused went to Doll in the capacity of a life insurance and stated that he represented the Life Reserve Fund Association. agreed to accept a policy from that asso- and the necessary forms and applications ed up. He paid a sum of money to Reck strength of the issuance of a policy by that y, and subsequently discovered that esentations had been made, and a policy of another company had ued in his name. He went to Reck and ed his money back, but this was refused. pon he decided to prosecute. Reck is held er to the Circuit Court and Jury in the sum of $500.

Will Adjourn on Saturday.

meeting of the Merchants' Exchange to-day oted by a strong majority to adjourn on ay, Decoration Day. This action of the Exbrings into interest the following rule for deliveries: "When a contract shall ma- Sunday or on a legal holiday or on any day the Exchange is closed, delivery on such shall be made on the next preceding busiday and no property shall be on any day upon which hange shall hold no business session." Cash day will be deliverable before 11 o'clock

A Big Book Catalogue.

Public Library has just received from its agent the "Reference Catalogue of Current ure of Books now in Print and on Sale" for On more than three thousand five hundred contains a title-page record of upwards of see thousand eight hundred books, thus a complete index to all the English books ent on sale in the English market. One and a prodigious firms have contributed ake-up, and no department of literature is nrepresented. To book-buyers this catais simply indispensable.

Denison's Court.

re were forty cases on the docket this morn- The heaviest fine imposed was on Tim Rearho was assessed $10 for trespassing and $25 arrying concealed weapons. Ida Reardon, his ter, was also fined $10 for trespassing. Fanwis was fined $10 for disturbing the peace, innie Barton was fined $5 for the same of-

NORTH ST. LOUIS.

Missouri Sand Company's fleet of dredges are at work off the foot of Buchanan street. ry Wilker was arrested this morning by r Church of the Third District for indecent uct.

lip Gruner of Gruner Bros. Lumber Company ust returned from a trip to the Wisconsin ion.

ork on the Transfer Railroad is being delayed what by the wet weather, as the streets over dirt has to be hauled are becoming almost

Fred Klien, a salesman at Humphrey's, while riding yesterday evening, was thrown from the ng, at Fifteenth street and St. Louis avenue, received a severe cut over the left eye. The nd was dressed by Dr. Bernard.

MERRY MILLERS.

Eighth Annual River Excursion of the Flour Merchants and Millers.

A Large Gathering Aboard the City of Natchez — Complete Arrangements for the Occasion—Scene at the Wharf—The Music and the Attendance.

The eighth annual excursion of the flour merchants and millers to-day successfully inaugurates the season of social gatherings afloat. The flour merchants and millers have always held the credit of conducting the most enjoyable river trip of the year, and their excursion is generally graced with the attendance of the best socia circles. It was to-day essentially a family picnic, affording the opportunity for a pleasant reunion of business men and their families. Nothing has ever occurred to mar the happiness of the millers' gatherings, and the occasion is always looked forward to as the enjoyable feature of the season. Perhaps the selection of a later date would ensure better weather, but all things considered, the millers may claim the blue ribbon for excellent arrangements and perfection of detail in the management of their annual frolic.

DISPOSAL OF THE MILLERS,

and the excursionists began to assemble on the Walnut street warfboat as early as 8 o'clock this morning. The cabin had been tastefully decorated with flowers for the occasion and was cleared for dancing. A barge was attached to the steamer likewise, for the accommodation of the dancers. Nearly all the guests brought a liberal supply of lunch in baskets, which were deposited with the Refreshment Committee on the lower deck. The regulations as to tickets this year were more stringent and only 650 tickets were distributed in the first instance. There were probably 500 ladies and gentlemen aboard when the great steamer swung into the stream shortly before 10 o'clock.

Richter's Band discoursed lively airs on the upper deck prior to the departure, and in the cabin during the morning choice selections were contributed by the following well known ladies and gentlemen: The Schuler Sisters' quartette, Miss Laura Pike, Mrs. Oscar Bollman, Mrs. Hammerstein, Mrs. Frank Peebles, Miss McFall; Messrs. A. Ravold, J. F. Krueger, Bernard Dierkes, Oscar Bollman and Emil A. Becker. Mayer's grand orchestra furnished music for dancing in the cabin and on deck.

After a pleasant trip down stream the boat landed the excursionists at Ihorn's Grove. Many preferred to remain aboard and escape the showers of rain which fell at intervals during the day, somewhat disturbing the comfort of dancing parties and tried young ladies. There was no interruption to the programme on board, however, and everything went merrily.

THE GUESTS.

Among those present were Mrs. A. E. Babcock, Miss Grace Munn, Mrs. George Wilde, Mr. and Miss J. L. Stockwell, Miss Florence Stockwell, Mr. and Mrs. Leftwich, Mr. and Mrs. Woods of Quincy, Miss Alice Brown, Mrs. S. M. Simpson, Mr. and Mr. Depp, Mrs. M. Backer, Mrs. George H. Backer, Miss Theresa Backer, Mrs. Louis Fusz, Miss Rosalie Fusz, Mrs. W. B. Willis, Miss Annie Livingston, Miss Nellie Willis, Mrs. John Gartside, Mrs. R. Niggeman, Mrs. I. D. Vogeler, Mrs. and Miss Krausse, Mrs. C. D. Niggeman, Miss Gracie Niggeman, Mr. and Mrs. George Eberle, Miss Bernice Trisler, Miss Birdie Endress, Miss Rosie Dunn, Miss Ida White, Miss Lily Thorne, Miss Nannie Lindsay, Mrs. Richards, Miss Lucy N. Green, Miss L. H. Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Meinecke, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hattersley, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Kehlor, Miss Lizzie Kehlor, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, Misses Ellen and Amanda Hawthorne, Miss Minnie Wulze, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wulze, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Neill, Miss Jennie Partridge, Miss Whiting, Mrs. M. L. Smithers, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hambrink, Miss Hespenman, Miss Fanny Russell, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Keeler, Miss Belle Adams, Miss Clara Jacobs, Miss Nettie Hoffman, Miss Lillian Trauernicht, Mrs. J. F. Imbs, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cornell, Miss Clara Bulte, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Crothers, Miss E. Altemeyer, Conrad Foth, Miss Annie Foth, Miss Mande Richer, Miss Ida Ringen, Mrs. and Miss Borsack, Miss Fiora Hoffman, Mrs. H. B. Louderman, George Bain and family, Mr. Walter Bain, Miss Katie Ring, Mrs. Foster, Miss Gussie Gaussman, Mrs. J. H. Wright and Miss Wright, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. A. Koenig, Mr. Frank Ring and Miss Katie Ring, Mrs. Doeppe, Gus Beasinghaus and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Vogel, E. L. Hoffman and family, Mrs. E. B. Krausse and Miss Hattie Krausse, J. T. Nixon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Schlange, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gaubel, J. S. Bowling and Miss Dowling, Mrs. A. C. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schuermann, Miss Clara Bulte, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ewald, J. Griff Prather, Louis Schmidt and family, Ike Dutcher and family, Mr. James Nicholson and Mrs. Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Samuels, Mrs. Orr, Mr. and Mrs. D. Paule, Mr. and Mrs. George Gregg, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Hugunin, Mrs. E. C. Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Malone, Miss Julia B. Edgar, Miss Lillie Thorn, Miss Ida White, Miss Rosie Dunn, Miss Nannie Sirode, Miss Ida Diehl, Mrs. H. B. Klinx, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Schotten, Miss Nannie Lindsay, Miss Lily Spilker, Miss Bertha Stachlin, Miss Lou Davis, Miss Kitty Hannerty and many others.

First Class.

The New Orleans Times-Democrat of May 25 publishes the official awards of judges at the World's Fair made to range and stove manufacturers, from which we notice that the Wrought Iron Range Company of 1511 Washington avenue, St. Louis, have borne off medal of the first class for best hotel range, medal of the first class for best laundry stove, and medal of the first class for best display of wrought iron ranges.

This triumph of one of our important home industries is no surprise to those acquainted with the merits of the well-known "Home Comfort" ranges, manufactured by this company, nor to those who have seen their beautiful display at the World's Fair at New Orleans.

The business of the company, constantly increasing, is a convincing proof of the growing popularity of their manufactures, and the awards at New Orleans were but the additional testimony of experts to facts already well known to thousands of people who are now using "Home Comforts."

P. J. Dauernheim and Miss Mamie Wengler were the attendants. The Lime Kiln Club band furnished the music. Among the guests were C.W. S. Cobb, C. W. Goetz, Joseph W. Kraft, J. M. Bixler, jr., John Oliver, S. R. Loring, P. McLoon, D. Green, W. Cutzinger, John Holly, W. Kroner, Mr. and Mrs. Pullen, Mr. and Mrs. H. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. C. Lansell, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ackerman, Mr. and Mrs. H. Vespey, Mrs. Robert and Mrs. Rosa Harrison, Miss E. Mason, Mrs. Lippert, Mrs. Renken, the Misses Rosenbaum.

THE MUDD MYSTERY.

Further Testimony in the Case Before Judge Barclay To-Day.

The trial of the Mudd-Whitmore case was resumed in Judge Barclay's Court this morning. The first witness was William Hayward, a member of the Knights and Ladies of Honor, who testified to seeing Miss Mudd at the time of her initiation and also after her death when she laid out in the casket. He was positive it was Miss Mudd in the casket.

Mr. J. T. Towers, the next witness, had lived in the same house with the Whitmores, and corroborated the testimony heretofore given as to the general treatment of Mis Mudd by the family.

The other witnesses in the case not being present the Court concluded to take a recess until 12:15 o'clock. There are but one or two more witnesses to be examined and their counsel in the case will be given two hours each for arguments. It will probably be given to the jury late this afternoon or to-morrow morning.

Will Open Soon,

A branch of Sprague's Delicatessen Lunch Room, 712 Olive street.

East via Niagara.

Summer travelers should remember that the Wabash route is the only line running new palace Pullman buffet sleepers between St. Louis and Niagara Falls, Albany and Boston without change. Two hours the quickest time to Niagara Falls. Twelve hours the quickest time to Toronto, Montreal and all points on the Grand Trunk Railway. The only Pullman line to New York, via Niagara Falls. Train leaves St. Louis Union Depot daily at 6:40 p. m. Ticket offices at No. 120 N. Fourth street and the Union Depot.

THE NAIL MEN.

The Scale Presented and All Works to Shut Down Saturday.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, May 28.—Mr. Hutchinson, one of the members of the Western Nail Association, which met yesterday and declined to reveal its proceedings, says the discussion was upon the scale presented by the Amalgamated Association, and by the United American Nail Association. The proposition was declined, and all works would shut down next Saturday night.

Twelve Buildings Burned.

PHŒNIX, ARIZONA, May 28.—Fire destroyed twelve buildings and their contents here yesterday. Loss, $75,000; insurance, $40,000.

FOUNTAIN PENHOLDERS.
Any Steel Pen Will Fit It.
ONLY TEN CENTS.
LEVISON & BLYTHE STATIONERY CO.
213 and 215 North Third St.

MONEY.
NEW YORK, May 28.—The stock market was steady at the opening this morning, first prices showing little or no change from yesterday's closing figures, but in the early dealings there was a slight advance and then the market became steady again, and so continued during the first hour. The net results of the hour's operations are again off ⅛ to ¼ per cent for the active stocks. Jersey Central is an exception by advancing from 36½ to 37¾ on rumors that the Baltimore and Ohio is to lease the road.
NEW YORK, May 28.—NOON.—Money is easy at 1 per cent. Bar silver 1078.
The stock market during the past hour has been heavy, with declines, however, of only small fractions. Lackawanna has led in the decline, selling down to 101⅝, but rallied later to 102. At noon the market was quiet and steady after the reaction. Tarees 103½; 4½s 114¾; 4s 122¾; Pacific 6s of '95 129½.
NEW YORK, May 28, 2 P. M.—The stock market continued quiet and prices steady until after 2 o'clock, when the whole active list yielded a fraction, led by Lackawanna, which sold down to 100½. The market closed weak at early and weak, and near the lowest prices of the day.
BOSTON, May 28.—Mexican sevens, 55½; scrip, 95½; stock, 13⅞.

Corrected daily by James Cammondi, Banker and Broker 307 Pine street.

U. S. BONDS.

	When due.	Interest payable.	Bid.	Ask.
5 per cent bonds.....	1881	M. A. N. & F.	101	101½
4½ per cent bonds.....	1891	J. S. D. & M.	111¾	111¾
4 per cent bonds.....	1907	J. A. J. & O.	122¾	122¾

RAILWAY BONDS.

Mo. Pac. 1st m. 6's..	1888	Feb. & Aug.	103½	104
Mo. Pac. Consols.....	1920	May & Nov.	99	99½
Mo. Pac. 2d m. 7's..	1891	Jan. & July	103½	103½
Mo. Pac. 3d.....	1906	May & Nov.	100	101¾
No. Mo. 1st m. 7's..	1900	June & Dec.	110½	111
K. P. 1st m. 6's.....	1895	Feb. & Aug.	103	110
K. P. 1st m. 6's.....	1896	June & Dec.	106	108½
K. P. R. D. Ex. 6's..	1899	May & Nov.	104½	105
K. P. Consols.....	1919	May & Nov.	94¾	95¼
St. L. & M. 1st 7's..	1892	Feb. & Aug.	111½	112½

ST. LOUIS CITY AND COUNTY BONDS.

City 4's sterling, 10-20s.....	1903	May & Nov.	100	103
City 6's sterling, 10-20s.....	1903	Jan. & July	100	103
City 6's sterling, 10-20s.....	1900	June & Dec.	102	104
City 6's.....	1900	Jan. & July	106¾	107½
City 6's currency..	1892–97	Various.	103	104
City 6's gold.....	1892–95	Various.	103¼	104¼
City 6's sterling....	1898	June & Dec.	115½	116½
City 6's water.....	1887	June & Dec.	103½	104¾
City 6's water.....	1900	June & Dec.	106¾	108
City 6's water.....	1892	April & Oct.	108¾	109½
City 6's bridge approach.....	1893	June & Dec.	109¾	110¾
County 8's gold.....	1895–96	Jan. & July	.....	113
County Park.....	1906	April & Oct.	116	118

*Interest to seller.

Clearings.....	$ 3,979,476
Balance.....	883,494

New York Stock Quotations.

Corrected daily by Matthews & Whittaker, bankers and brokers, No. 121 N. Third street, St. Louis, Mo.

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Central New Jersey.....	98¾	97¾	98¾	97¾
Chicago, St. P., M. & O. pref.....	71¾	71¾	71¾	71¾
Chicago, Bur. & Quincy.....	122	122	122	122
Chic., Mil. & St. P.....	69¾	69	69¾	69¾
Chicago and Northwest.....	89¾	94	89¾	89¾
Delaware, Lackawanna & West..	103¾	103¾	102¾	102¾
Erie Com.....	98	98	96	96
Illinois Central.....	128	128	128	128
Lake Shore.....	83¾	83¾	82¾	82¾
Louisville and Nashville.....	81	82¾	82¾	82¾
Missouri Pacific.....	96¾	96¾	95¾	95¾
Mo., Kan. & Texas.....	18	18	17¾	17¾
Manhattan Elevated.....	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾
New York Central.....	83¾	83¾	83¾	84¾
Northern Pacific.....	26¾	26¾	25¾	25¾
Northern Pacific do Pfd.....	59¾	59¾	58¾	58¾
Oregon & Transcontinental....	14¾	14¾	13¾	13¾
Ohio Central.....	14	14	14	14
Pacific Mail.....	52¾	52¾	52¾	52¾
Phil. & Reading.....	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
Pullman Palace Car.....	118	118	118	118
St. L. & San F. 2d pref.....	84	84¾	84	84¾
do 1st pref.....	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
Texas & Pacific.....	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Union Pacific.....	53¾	54	53¾	53¾
Western U. T. Co.....	80¾	80¾	80	80
West Shore Bonds.....	87¾	81¾	87¾	81¾
English Consols.....	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝

COMMERCE.

STILL SHE SLUMPS.

The Weakness and Depression Still Continues.

Special by Telegraph from Pickering & Co., Chicago to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, May 28.—Wheat opened firmer to-day, and for a time the market ruled steady with good buying on outside orders, more of which were in than for some time past. Offerings, however, were large, and local crowds were selling freely. Cables very dull, private orders especially being extremely depressing. Receipts continue fair with 375 cars arriving at Western points to-day. Under the state of affairs bears took courage and finally succeeded in breaking prices badly, July declining fully 1c and closing weak at inside figures of the day. No especial crop news was received to-day. For last hour local traders about the only operators. Early orders being pretty well out of market. New York reports very little doing for export, but ocean freights firmer would indicate some demand, after all. Receivers say receipts will increase during the next few days, so will need decidedly better export movement to keep supply from gaining on us. Quantity on passage shows no sign of falling off. The last dealings in July were at eight and a quarter, being slightly firmer.

Corn opened weak, with a great rush to sell on big receipts and fine weather, but very soon the market became firmer generally on good general demand. Baxter tried to stem the tide by offering a quarter million at 59¾ for July, but W. F. Johnson took the lot, much to his surprise. Baxter put Shaw in. The market ruled strong for sometime, Norton and Poole being large buyers. On weakening of wheat Driver was the heaviest seller, disposing of a large line of July at about 6. Six hundred cars reported for to-morrow and a great deal of May came on the market, causing a general falling off in values, and the market closed weak and settled at near lowest price of day. Cash demand reported good, exporters buying freely at prices all through the session, but fine weather, big receipts and heavy pounding of speculative longs were too much for the market, causing a decline of ¾c, and May closed at 46¼ and heavy.

Provisions weak, but not much doing.

Receipts and Shipments of Leading Articles for the Past 24 Hours.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments
Flour, bbls.....	11,000	11,000
Wheat, bu.....	35,288	4,500
Corn, bu.....	45,935	88,935
Oats, bu.....	98,000	60,770
Rye, bu.....	550	.....
Barley, bu.....	.....	.....
Hay, tons.....	326	359
Pork, brls.....	.....	326
Beef, brls.....	118	774,906
Meats, lbs.....	346,048	164,300
Lard, lbs.....	200	36,661
Grease.....	3,450	1,620

Movements of Wheat and Corn To-Day.

	Receipts.		Shipments.	
	Wheat.	Corn.	Wheat.	Corn.
St. Louis.....	35,288	83,805	4,500	88,935
Chicago.....	49,289	258,271	80,614	240,992
Milwaukee.....	88,649	3,260	240,972	.....
Baltimore.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Toledo.....	5,500	7,600	2,500	2,000
New York.....	.....	.....	81,982	19,298

CHICAGO INSPECTIONS—95 cars spring wheat: 14 cars winter wheat; 525 cars corn: 275 cars oats: 14 cars rye; 15 cars barley. By canal——bu wheat; 10,400 bu corn.

Available Stock of Wheat and Corn.

	Wheat.	Corn.
United States, east of the Rockies.....	26,316,000	5,022,500
On passage for U. K. and Continent..	34,750,000	480,000
Total, May 28, 1885.....	71,518,106	5,372,209
Previous week.....	65,982,000	9,388,000
Total, May 28, 1884.....	39,299,000	10,933,000
Total, May 28, 1883.....	42,497,000	17,168,000
Total, May 9, 1882.....	52,548,000	11,354,000
Total, May 30, 1881.....	54,830,000	21,783,000

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Rye.	Barley.
To-day.....	1,471,104	260,189	58,490	2,492	.....
Yesterday.....	1,441,396	266,356	88,864	1,010	.....
	No. 2 Red.	No. 2 Mixed.	No. 2.	No. 2.	
To-day.....	196,555	196,555	1,000	1,000	.....
Yesterday.....	867,881	151,947	25,511	824	.....

On Passage to Europe.

To the United Kingdom:

	May 21, 1885.	May 14, 1885.	May 22, 1884.
Wheat, qrs.....	2,125,000	2,225,000	2,175,000
Corn, qrs.....	440,000	440,000	480,000
To the Continent:			
Wheat, qrs.....	350,000	280,000	490,000
Corn.....	75,000	90,000	60,000

Grain Inspections.

INTO ELEVATORS—Wheat—1 car No. 1 spring; 11 cars No. 2 spring; 1 car No. 3 do; 1 car rejected; 1 car No. 2 Northern fall; 1 car No. 2 hard winter; 11 cars No. 2 red winter; 2 cars No. 3 do; 2 cars No. 4 do; total, 1 barge and 36 cars. Corn—12 cars No. 2 white-mixed; 4 cars rejected do; 45 cars No. 2 mixed; 1 car no grade; total 61 cars. Oats—42 cars No. 2; 5 cars No. 2 white; 1 car rejected; total, 50 cars. Rye—1 car No. 2. Total in, 148 cars and 1 barge.

OUT OF ELEVATORS—Wheat—1 car No. 2 soft spring; 2 cars No. 2 Mediterranean; 9 cars No. 2 red winter; 1 car No. 3 do; 1 car No. 4 winter; 2 cars no grade do; total, 18 cars. Corn—1 car No. 2 white-mixed; 81 cars No. 2 mixed; total 82 cars. Oats—2 cars No. 2. Total out, 52 cars.

The Dry Goods Imports.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The imports of dry goods at this port for the week ending May 28 were valued at $1,175,546, and the amount thrown on the market at $1,226,093. The imports of general merchandise at this port were valued at $5,066,788, exclusive of dry goods.

St. Louis Afternoon Board.

Wheat weak on call, but closed stronger. Corn and oats closed stronger.

Wheat—May, 46¼b; June $1 01 to $1 00⅝ b.; July $1 03⅜@⅝@⅜. closing at $1 03⅝; August $1 03⅝ to $1 03¾, closing at $1 0; September $1 05, $1 04⅝ @ $1 03⅝ b. Corn—May 44¾; June 44½; nominal; July 44½@⅝; August 44⅜; year 39. Oats—May 32 b.; June 30⅝; July 30 b.; year 30¾ b.

Cotton — NEW YORK—Futures closed. May 10.78; June 10.59; July 10.36; August 10.22; September 10.09; October 10.33; November 10.25; December 10.26; January ——. Sales, 30,500 bales.

NEW ORLEANS—Futures—May ——; June 10.46; July 10.60; August 10.67; September 10.24; October 10.04; November 10.83; December 10.84. Sales, 8,400 bales.

CLOSING PRICES 3 P. M.

Reported daily by Redmond, Cleary & Co., No. 308 S. Commercial street, St. Louis, Mo.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
WHEAT—	CHICAGO.			
June.....	86¼	87¾	86¼	86¾
July.....	88¾	89¾@¼	88¾	89¼@⅜
August.....	90¾	91¼	90¾	90¾
CORN—				
May.....	56¼	47¾	46¼	46¼ a ⅜
June.....	45¾	46¾@¼	45¾	45¾ a ⅜
July.....	45¾	46¼	45¾	45¾ a ⅜
August.....	46¾	46¾	45¾	46 a ⅜
OATS—				
May.....	.....	32¾	32¼	32
June.....	32¾@¾	33	32¼	32¾
July.....	32¾@¾	33¼	32¼	32¾
August.....	.....	29¾@¾	29¾	29¾
PORK—				
June.....	$10 45	$10 60	$10 45	$10 47½
July.....	10 55	10 70	10 55	10 60
August.....	10 65	10 80	10 65	10 70
LARD—				
June.....	6.47½	6.50	6.47½	6.50
July.....	6.52½	6.55	6.52½	6.55
August.....	6.65¾	6.70	6.65¾	6.67½
SHORT RIBS—				
June.....	5.32½	5.37½	5.32½	5.32½
July.....	5.37½	5.37½	5.32½	5.32½
August.....	5.42½	5.42½	5.37½	5.37½

NEW YORK—Wheat—June 90¼; July 91 @91⅝; August 91 @8 b.; September 91 @95⅜ b.; December 94 @94⅝ b.; May 83; June 85 b.; July 85¾ b.; August 88¾ b.; September 84¼ b. Oats—June 37¾; July 37¾; August 34.

BALTIMORE — Wheat — June ——; July 90¾ a; August ——. Corn—June 53¾@53¾; July 53¾@53¾.

TOLEDO — Wheat — May 91¼; June 91¼; July 92¾; August 93¾. Corn—May 48¾; June 48¾; July 48 7-8; August 49¾; nominal.

The Markets.

FORENOON SESSION, CLOSING 1 P. M.

Wheat—Influences to-day were not altogether of an unfavorable nature. Liverpool was quoted easier, but Chicago and New York were both better, and the local receipts proving light, the market following closely in the footsteps of Chicago, advanced quite strongly. Sellers, however, predominated, and most orders received were to sell, which at times caused the market to exhibit spasmodic activity. Prices opened at about yesterday's closing, but the demand meeting with free sellers and other markets losing their grip, values eased up and at the close of the noon call were largely lower. July opened at $1 03¾, advanced to $1 04⅜, closing at $1 03⅝; August at $1 04¾, closing at $1 03⅝; June $1 01⅞, closed at $1 01⅝; September at the close was $1 05⅝. May was held at $1 01⅜. Cash grades were slow, and if anything, a shade easier than on yesterday. Sales were principally to millers, the demand from other sources being of little consequence. No. 2 red $1 02 in Vat. and E. and C.; $1 01⅜ in C.; $1 01¾@04⅜ b. this and E. side. No. 3 red 90¾ a. reg.; 99 b. St. L., and D. No. 4 80 a. reg., 85 b. E. S. Rejected 66 a., 67 b. No. 2 spring 86 a. No. 2 soft spring 87⅝ St. L. No. 3 Med. $1 01¼ E. S.

Corn—Like wheat, this market opened with an appearance of some strength, which, during the forepart of the session, was pretty generally maintained, which was assisted by the improved markets elsewhere, and the advance in wheat. But, like the latter, prices eased up, though not to the same extent. The principal trading was in July, which opened at 45c, advanced to 45¾, but closed easier at 44⅝, since sold from 44⅝ to 44⅞, closing at 44¾ bid; August 45¾, with sale at 46, closing nominal at 44⅝; year sold at 39¾, and later at 39⅝. May held 52¾ b. Cash was stronger, but only in moderate inquiry by millers and shippers. No. 2 mixed 45 in St. L., 45¾ in C. and E. 45 and 45¾ in E.; No. 2 white-mixed 53¾@54 in St. L.; rejected 42 in St. L.

Oats—There was little speculative trading in this market, but in sympathy with all others prices were somewhat improved. May had 32¾ bid at the start, but later sold at 32. June was offered at 30¾, and later at 33, with 33¼ bid. July opened at 30¾ bid, closed with offers at 31¾, bid 30¾. Year offered at 29¾, bid 29¼. Cash grades were in fair shipping demand, but sold lower. No. 2 at 34¼ in St. L. and rejected 33¾ in St. L. and E.

Rye—Grade No. 2 was at 70 regular with 76 bid this side, but offerings were small. No rejected was offered and no bids received.

Flour—There was no business done in this market to-day, the flour corner being deserted on account of the millers' annual excursion. Little attempt was made to do anything and the market may be considered nominal. We quote: xx $3 35@3 45; xxx $3 60@3 70; family $3 85@3 95; choice $4 05@4 25; fancy $4 30@4 50; extra do including favorite brands $4 60@4 75; patent $5 00@5 25. These rates are for loss on arrival at depot and over; order lots higher.

Cornmeal—Steady at $2 70@2 75 city on orders delivered; pearl meal and grits nominal at $3 25@3 50.

Bran—Eastern freight rates demoralized and this market advanced sharply under a good demand from Eastern buyers. Sales ranged: Bulk at $5 20@5 25 for prime. Sacked at $5 35@5 40 at city mill, and at 66@67 E. track.

Hay—The offerings of low and medium grades exceeded the demand, and the market was dull and weak on these descriptions; another drawback to the movement was the wet weather and the depth of the roads around the tracks. The best grades of timothy continue in good local consumptive demand and strong. Sales ranged (top rates this side): new or choice clover-mixed timothy $12@14; choice timothy $14@15; fancy do $15@16.

Provisions—The reaction to higher prices for future pork in this market from other markets, caused a firmer feeling here nominally, but did not lead to any important transactions. Lard was dull and weak on the early decline, but rallied with the general market and closed strong. Sales (range and closing prices on the basis of 200 lbs to the barrel as delivered): pork—July $10 47½ b.; lard—July $6 60 b.; short ribs—July $5 37½ b.

Whisky—Sold at $1 08 on the basis of 1 gallon to the bushel.

Seeds—Timothy—Prime $1 60 bid; fancy $1 70 bid. Flaxseed—Prime $1 40 bid; fancy $1 45 bid.

Bagging—Steady at 5½c for 1¾ lbs; 6c for 2 lbs; 6½c for 2¼ lbs; 7c for 2½ lbs; 7½c for 2¾ lbs; 8c for 3 lbs; 8½c for 3¼ lbs; 9c for 3½ lbs; 9½c for 3¾ lbs; 10c for 4 lbs; 10½c for 4¼ lbs; 11c for 4½ lbs; 11½c for 4¾ lbs; 12c for 5 lbs; 12½c for 5¼ lbs; 13c for 5½ lbs; 13½c for 5¾ lbs; 14c for 6 lbs.

Bale Ties—Steady at $1 30.

Hides—Dull and unchanged. We quote: Green salted at 5½c; damaged 4½c; branded 4½c; bulls or stags 3½ part cured 5½c; fully cured 6½c; glue stock 3c; dry flint 10½c; damaged 8½c; bulls or stags 6c; dry salted 7½c; damaged 6½c; glue stock 4c. Hides under 10 lbs classed as damaged.

FEATHERS—Steady. We quote: Prime live geese at 45c in large lots and 50 in small; extra quills, 60c; No. 3 do; 1 car No. 4 winter; 2 cars no grade do; total, 18 cars. Corn—1 car No. 2 white-mixed; 81 cars No. 2 mixed; total 82 cars. Oats—2 cars No. 2. Total out, 52 cars.

Pittsburg Quotations.

PITTSBURG, May 28.—The oil market was dull but firm. Prices opened at 80½, and then dropped off to 80¼ at 1 o'clock. The total production of the Thorn Creek region for the past twenty-four hours was 7,578 barrels. The Mount Pleasant well at Emsworth has 900 feet of oil in the hole. The drill has not yet been started.

Cotton-Region Bulletin.

For twenty-four hours ending May 27, 1885, 5 p. m., Central time.

War Department

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THURSDAY, MAY 28, 1885.

THE question in regard to RIEL'S citizenship is merely a question whether he shall be hung for treason or for murder, and the same rope will answer in either case.

THE Illinois Legislature tenders condolence to France on the death of VICTOR HUGO. It is in order for France to condole with Illinois over the election of LOGAN. In one respect LOGAN and the great Frenchman resembled each other. Neither could ever be induced to speak English.

SENATOR EDMUNDS sails for England on Saturday in response to a complimentary summons to testify as an expert before the House of Lords on various points of American law. This is probably one of the fruits of the appointment of his friend and fellow townsman as United States Minister to England.

THE French Government will not appease the Communists whose red flag procession it broke up last week, by allowing then to carry flags at HUGO'S funeral next week. It will, however, succeed in giving mortal offense to every Catholic sentiment in France. What business has the French Government with the funerals of citizens?

BEFORE the MAXWELL case is well disposed of St. Louis is disturbed by a visit from a strange young Englishwoman who first applies for work under impossible conditions and then proceeds to go to work as an amateur burglar to secure quarters in the Penitentiary. St. Louis needs a British Vice-Consul and needs him badly.

OUR perennially indignant friend MCNEARY —he of the Cave—appeals through our Forum to the Council Committee on Public Improvements. Mr. MCNEARY has been badly victimized, but the question in which he is involved is a public one. The question is simply whether the summer theater at Uhrig's Cave is worth so much that to secure it the Municipal Assembly ought to strain the law a little bit.

YESTERDAY was not a good day for news, but among the items of news which were published in the POST-DISPATCH yesterday, and which are copied into the morning papers today, were the story of VICTOR HUGO'S daughter ADELE, the fires in New York and Harrodsburg, the day's divorces, the three weddings in society, MISS CLEVELAND'S letter to Dr. HOWARD CROSBY, the proceedings of the Wool Growers' Convention, the Mudd case and other small items too numerous to mention.

THE British lion wearing the head of Mary's little lamb and led by a ribbon in the hands of a school girl whose profile is GLADSTONE'S, is the New York *Life's* picture of the European situation. Another page shows us the lion going into the big end of a horn labeled "Afghanistan." There is a hiatus, and just below we see a very puny lamb coming out of the little end of the horn and bleating plaintively, while over it hangs the hungry two-headed eagle of Russia poising for a swoop. There never was a time when John Bull was the subject of so much galling ridicule as now. But it is making him very red in the face, and he cannot be expected to smother his wrath much longer.

Now that the DEAN investigation is over, a few plain words of common sense are needed to call attention to the real issues which make the City Hospital question a pressing one. The hospital is an immense institution which should have a medical administration and a business administration, and the officials in charge should have a control as extensive as their responsibility. Dr. DEAN is responsible both for the business management and the medical management, and he has no control over either. That is the situation in a nutshell. There is only one thing needed to make its absurdity complete, and that is to have Dr. DEAN investigated every time an incurable tramp or indignant pauper rises up to vindicate the dignity of American citizenship.

WHEN the tools of the California monopolists, with Judge FIELD at their head, called on Attorney-General GARLAND to protest against the appointment of MONTGOMERY as Assistant Attorney-General for the Interior Department, they first called attention to his pamphlets attacking some features of the California school laws. Mr. GARLAND remarked that he had read these pamphlets and found them interesting and instructive, but did not learn from them that Mr. MONTGOMERY was at all an enemy of the public schools. As to the religious phase of Mr. MONTGOMERY'S opinions on the subject, he would as soon think of making Mr. MONTGOMERY'S views on the question of infant baptism a test of his fitness to act as the legal adviser of the Interior Department. Then the real ground of the objection to him came out, and it was charged that, as a member of California's Constitutional Convention, or in some other public body, he had introduced resolutions "attacking corporate property"—that is to say, the holding of vast areas of land in mortmain, or something of that sort. This charge seems to have designated MONTGOMERY as the very man GARLAND was looking for, and it was immediately reported that he would resign if MONTGOMERY were refused the appointment. It was about time to put the Interior Department under the direction of some able legal adviser who would not be overawed and overpowered by the peculiar views of Judge FIELD and his brother CYRUS in regard to the blasphemy of questioning the all-embracing and self-exalting divinity of corporation powers. It may be surmised that hereafter the Interior Department will cease to act upon the theory that the land-grabbing corporations have an inherent right and an indefeasible title to the earth and to all the fatness thereof.

Sugar-Coated Domestic Infelicity.

From the Philadelphia Times.

An amusing dispatch, purporting to come from San Francisco, asserts that a Dr. Scudbery of the United States navy, has had a dreadful quarrel with his beautiful and accomplished young wife, because in his absence abroad she studied medicine, became a homeopathist and undertook to cure the community of its ills and her own husband's bad temper by sugar-coated pills.

On his return from a cruise the doctor found his graduated wife in a homeopathic dispensary, attending a patient. The doctor said: "So the pellet-peddling ignoramuses have roped you in, have they?" She replied: "Don't be rude, my dear," and proceeded to administer her little white panaceas. "You're a quack!" roared the husband. "You're a butcher!" screamed his wife. And the little pellets divided them forever.

It is high time some new cause for divorce was discovered. The old causes are losing their amusing power. Mere incompatibility, infidelity, ordinary brutality, desertion, what are these to pellets? Then there is a professional dignity in this new cause of domestic infelicity. It is high-toned, and while the thousands of young people expecting to be married in the next year are not advised to study homeopathy as a preparation for divorce, it may be well for all of them to have a supply of pellets on hand for any cases of emergency that may arise.

Hugo's Strange Belief.

From the Paris Figaro.

Victor Hugo was always convinced that he would meet all his friends in a future world. He was equally sure that he had always existed from the antediluvian times when the Creator placed him on earth. He believed that he would exist forever, inasmuch as he felt in his soul thousands of hymns, dramas and poems that had never found expression. When the atheists would say to him: "The proof that you will not exist in the future is that you did not exist in the past," Hugo would answer: "Who told you I did not exist in the past centuries? You will say that is the legend of the ages. The poet has written: 'Life is a fairy tale twice written.' He might have said a thousand times written. There is not an age in which I cannot find my spirit. You do not believe in the doctrine of surviving personalities for the reason that you do not recollect your anterior existence. But how can the recollection of vanished ages remain imprinted on your memory when you do not remember a thousand and one scenes and events of your present life? Since 1802 there have been ten Victor Hugos in me. Do you think that I can recall all their actions and all their thoughts? The tomb is dark, and when I shall have passed the tomb to emerge into light once more, all these Victor Hugos will be almost wholly strangers to me, but it will always be the same soul."

No Use for Liberty.

From the New York World.

In his objection to the Statue of Liberty the materialistic friend of Humanity, Orlando B. Potter, says that the thing itself is a survival of paganism. We have heard that same thing said of the statue on the dome of the Capitol in Washington. All our art is tinctured, more or less, with the idealistic, which, according to Mr. Potter, is paganism. The great Thorwaldsen perpetuated paganism when he idealized War, Peace, Famine and the Seasons, Canova was a promoter of paganism. Likewise all our great painters. Even the objects, too, to the location of the statue on Bedloe's Island. He would have set it upon the sea coast. Then he withholds his financial support. Perhaps if the Statue of Liberty could be secured by a stock company and placed in one of our big squares where it could be used for illuminating purposes—the neighbors being taxed for the light—and the hollow portions of the pedestal rented out for brokers' offices, collection agencies, etc., Mr. Potter would regard it as a most sensible and practical institution.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

An Open Letter to the Committee of Public Improvements of the City Council.

Messrs. Devoy, Durosa and Temple.

GENTLEMEN—You have before you a bill, dividing city block No. 929, which, I trust, you will approve. I am satisfied that your action in the matter will be dictated by your desire to represent the wishes of your constituents. May I remind you of the fact that, as you were elected by the citizens of St. Louis at large, you are therefore responsible to the majority of the people of this city, whose suffrages placed you in your present position, and not to the opposing minority, who would have deprived you of the honor you have achieved had they the power to do so. Believing that you hold these views, as I know the vast majority of your fellow citizens do, I respectfully ask leave to submit the following facts and suggestions:

The City Council, with one exception, were elected as Democrats. You know that the Democratic party has outlived the attacks of all the humbugs, hypocrites and fanatics that ever confronted it since the days of Jefferson. Why? Because it has been the champion of liberty against fanaticism, the defender of the just rights of the poor man against the money power of the world, and, therefore, it expects its servants in office to carry out its grand principles.

The argument against the division of block 929 is totally undemocratic, and, furthermore, is advanced only by men who hate the Democratic party and would gladly sit upon its grave and whistle a "Te Deum," if the last election had not forbidden it. Who are these men who are so frantic about the public morals because of the selling of beer at Uhrig's Cave. In picturing these gentlemen I shall "nothing extenuate nor set down ought in malice," but speak of them as they are." At their head stands Dr. W. G. Eliot, who puts himself forward as the champion of Christian morals. He is a man of hobbies, and, like all men so afflicted, he rides them to death. Another is Mr. John R. Jennings, who owns property opposite, but, nevertheless, felt it his Christian duty to remonstrate against the allowing of a license. There are many others, extra zealous clergymen for instance, who ought to attend to the care of the souls of their own congregations instead of sputtering round at the beck and nod of the good Dr. Eliot. I will not now describe them, for your valuable space forbids such an encroachment upon your columns. I will, however, proceed to a statement of a few facts. The pleasure-loving community, not of that block, but for miles around, are desirous of going to "the Cave" with their families to listen to the music, operatic and concerted, and ask the privilege of a cool glass of beer during the hot summer nights. They cannot go to Newport or Saratoga and enjoy the music of the cooks as they "pop" from champagne bottles, but must content themselves with opera bouffe and a glass of lager. There has never been a single case of disorder at "the Cave" when beer was sold there. Gentlemen of the City Council, the division of this block will cost the city nothing, because it is already divided in fact, and only requires the sanction of law to so recognize it. If the sanctimonious Republicans (I do not mean the liberal Republicans) and fanatical Prohibitionists, whom the great Democratic party last November and last April trampled into the dust, can still raise their voices and influence in the councils of the Democracy, then I, for one, say that the tremendous struggle of the last twenty-five years has been lost on the very day of its victory. THOS. MCNEARY.

One Thing.

ST. LOUIS, May 26, 1885.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Please find out, if you can, some one thing that makes St. Louis desirable or fit as a home and residence. The city used to be pleasant to visit, and desirable as a residence, but of late years has fallen into bad hands. For two years and more it seems the devil himself has had his grip on it.

H. O. RIXON.

[One thing which makes St. Louis pleasant and desirable as a place of residence is the publication of the POST-DISPATCH, which adds to the enjoyment of life. The devil cannot be said to have his grip on any city which supports so good a paper as the POST-DISPATCH.—ED. POST-DISPATCH.]

Our Usual Way.

From the Sedalia Bazoo.

The POST-DISPATCH of St. Louis is being generally abused for managing to have one of its ablest reporters on the ground when MAXWELL is overhauled at Auckland. But, nevertheless, it was a good piece of work, and should it get the news before any of its contemporaries, it will deserve to do so by a large majority.

Hiberia Victrix.

ST. LOUIS, May 27, 1885.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I hear that of the fifty-seven new men appointed to positions in the Fire Department a few days since one is a Bohemian, three Germans, fifty Irishmen and three Americans. Why not hoist the green flag over the headquarters of the Fire Department and be done with it?

AMERICAN CITIZEN.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

G. H.—Look in Bradstreet's or Dun's Directory.

J. S.—The last trade dollars were issued February 22, 1878.

O. T. (Wright City, Mo.)—We can not give information in these columns about the relative standing of business rivals.

WILL—A citizen is bound by law to assist a policeman in making an arrest, when called on to do so by the policeman.

BYOMAN—Unless you are personally acquainted with the Recorder, and he will waive the usual rule in your regard, the lady will be required to be present.

SPORT—Dr. Carver and Captain Bogardus shot a match at clay pigeons and double birds at Red Stocking or Compton Avenue Park in the spring of 1883.

SUBSCRIBER—We are not certain about the position of Vest, jr. One story is that he is a consular clerk; the other story is that he is Inspector of Consulates.

OLD SUBSCRIBER—Jay Gould is a director in the St. L. & S. F. R. R. Co., but there is no reason to believe that he exercises any greater control than any other director.

SUBSCRIBER—The Mexican Band gives two evening performances on June 15 and 16, and a matinee on June 16. This completes their programme in St. Louis. There are seventy-two performers in the band.

CONSTANT READER—Antoine Fountaine, Bondis, St. Louis County; Bush & Meissner, Bushberg; Jefferson County; Barnhart & Son, Clinton, Henry County, and S. M. Bayles, Carondelet, are fruit growers and proprietors of fruit tree nurseries.

THE METROPOLITAN PRESS.

What the Editors of the New York Journals are Saying To-Day.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The WORLD says: "Mr. John Roach's Dolphin goes forth to make another trial to-day. She is only asked to knock off twelve knots an hour for a period of six hours. This is not asking much, seeing that she was built to perform the offices of a swift cruiser. A cruiser that cannot run twelve knots an hour for at least six consecutive hours will not do much in time of war chasing merchant steamers which can easily make a rate of fifteen knots an hour for a week at a time."

THE SUN.

The Sun says: "Unquestionably the kind of civil service reform which the people intended to effect by the election of Mr. Cleveland to the Presidency will be signally illustrated by the removal of the followers of Mahone and Riddleberger from the posts which they disgrace, and by the appointment of honest Democrats to fill their places. By persevering in the course upon which he has now entered, Mr. Cleveland will firmly establish himself in the confidence of ninety-nine out of every hundred of the citizens whose votes put him in office."

THE TIMES.

The Times says: "Mr. E. O. Graves will take charge of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing to-day. His views of what should be done in his new position, so far as he can now determine, are given in our Washington dispatches. On one point he is perfectly definite—that no changes will be made in the employes of the Bureau except for the purpose of increasing its efficiency or reducing the cost of its work. Mr. Graves' principles and advice in the matter of appointments were perfectly well known at the time of his appointment, and it was that fact that made his selection especially creditable to Secretary Manning."

THE TRIBUNE.

The Tribune says: 'In the nature of things Bayard and Manning agree like fire and water, and as Mr. Cleveland was not physically blind and deaf at the time the Cabinet was in process of formation he must have known that the two principal members of that body represented the opposing forces that have for twenty years struggled for control in the Democratic party. When Mr. Cleveland thought he was compelled to offer a distinct position to Mr. Bayard—largely, Exchange and the merchants of St. Louis for the people looked upon Bayard as a saint—he was quickly met with evidence that his New York and other Eastern friends, from Mr. Tilden down, would not stand Bayard in the Treasury. The protests of Randall and Gorman, Barnum and Hayne convinced him that the Southern free-trader and possible candidate must be forced into the empty and least influential place in the Cabinet, if retained in it at all. Then came a long search after a man who could put in the 4 years of Parliamentary without giving mortal affront to Mr. Bayard, whose heart had been set on that place. It was finally determined to affront the respectables and civil service people instead by selecting Mr. Manning as a personal friend."

A New Insect.

From the Chicago Herald.

Drugwumph is a new political term in Kansas, the exact meaning of which is not yet known. It is probable that it will eventually affix itself to the people who buy their whisky on medical prescriptions, and in that event there will be two parties in the State, drugwumps and druggists, one consuming and the other selling whisky. The Prohibitionists have become lost in the shuffle some where.

What Mr. Dana Remembers.

From the New York Sun.

We well remember going one day to Mr. Stanton, when he was secretary of War, to say that the person best qualified to fill the place of Assistant Secretary, then about to become vacant, was his own son. He flamed out indignantly: "No, sir, never! I will never appoint a relative of mine to any office."

"When Hendricks Is Not There."

From the Des Moines Register.

When Congress meets the first thing that will probably be done in the Senate will be to elect Logan president pro tem. Then, whenever Hendricks is away Logan will sit in the Vice President's chair, just where the people intended he should sit.

Should Realize on His Prospects Now.

From the Pittsburg Dispatch.

Probably the best thing Logan's admirers can do is, as they are doing, to boom him for the Presidency this year. It will cost less and will not prevent half so many practical difficulties as to try it in 1888.

Forgiving or Forgetful.

From the Chicago Times.

The colored brother at the Logan reception, grasping the hand of the author of the Illinois black laws, and crying "Bless de Lawd," was one of the most affecting spectacles of modern politics.

What Became of All the Other Fools.

From the Baton Rouge Advocate.

As a rule the class of men who wanted to bathe in human blood stayed at home, became good Unionists, joined the Republican party during the reconstruction and secured paying offices.

For Repairs Only.

From the Chicago Times.

The American navy can not stand much fighting, but it can stand more repairs than the combined navies of the world. For particulars apply to Secretary Whitney.

A Senator's Rashness.

From the Courier-Journal.

Senator Vest says he has no use for newspapers. Mr. Vest will regret these bitter words when it becomes fashionable for United States Senators to wear bustles.

PROTECT US.

The National Wool-Growers' Association Demands the Tariff of 1867.

A Set of Resolutions Binding the Wool Interest of the Country to the Party Giving the Highest Import Duties—The Convention Adjourned.

The meeting of the National Wool Growers' Association at the Cotton Exchange this morning was a very brief one. President Delano called the meeting to order a few minutes after 9, and the convention adjourned sine die, at 9:40 a. m. The session was taken up with the reading of resolutions. Mr. Convers of Ohio, chairman of the committee on credentials, reported the following pronunciamento which puts the Association on record on the subject of protection in a manner that cannot be mistaken. The resolutions were adopted unanimously:

THE RESOLUTIONS.

Your committee, to whom was referred the various resolutions which have been heretofore offered, and who were ordered to report such resolutions as they deemed advisable for adoption by this association, beg leave to report as follows:

1. Resolved, That the present depressed condition of sheep husbandry is entirely owing to the unfortunate and unwise changes in the tariff laws by the act of March 3, 1883, and nothing short of their substantial restoration will remedy the evil, and prevent the final destruction of this industry in the United States.

To establish the truth of the foregoing resolution, we submit to a candid public the following facts:

The wool clip of 1880, amounting to 300,000,000 pounds, was sold for an average of about 40 cents per pound, yielding to the producers $120,000,000. The clip of 1883 did not yield to the producers over 25 cents per pound and supposing the same quantity, a loss in that year was sustained by the producers of $15,000,000. The clip of 1884 did not yield to the producers above 20 cents per pound, estimating for the same quantity, $30,000,000 pounds the loss to the producers that year as compared with 1882 was $60,000,000. At the prices offered for the present clip of 1885 the average to the producers will not exceed 20 cents per pound, and the loss to the producers compared with the price of 1882 will be $45,000,000, making a loss of $90,000,000 in the three years, not mentioning the depreciation in the value of their flocks. We venture, therefore, earnestly and solemnly, to announce to our fellow citizens that unless the protection afforded our industry by the laws in force prior to 1867 be restored, sheep husbandry as a common pursuit will be abandoned, and the business of furnishing material for woolen clothing for the American people will be remitted to foreign nations.

2. Therefore this association favors a wise and comprehensive system of economic legislation called to foster and develop all American industries that can be profitably pursued by our people, whereby employment may be secured to all the laboring classes at remunerative wages; and also enabling the laboring man of the United States to thus successfully compete with the cheap labor of foreign countries.

3. In adjusting duties under such a system of economic legislation, we are in favor of placing on the free list such articles of necessity and common use among our people as are not and cannot be produced in this country, and as to everything that can be profitably produced by American industries, we favor the application of such duties as will secure to American producers the control of American markets.

5. We recognize with feelings of apprehension and alarm the influence in this country of a powerful foreign organization, whose purpose is to destroy American industries and to give control of American markets to foreign producers, and we earnestly appeal to the patriotism of the American people, and to the personal family interest of all those interested in any industrial pursuit, to unite with us in an earnest and common effort to sustain the prosperity of American labor and American production against foreign and domestic influence designed for their overthrow and destruction.

6. To this end we recommend a confederation among American producers for the purpose of securing co-operation, and united efforts to educate public sentiment and arouse our public mind to the dangers of our situation and the necessity of preserving, by suitable protective legislation, the general welfare and prosperity of the American people, and without reference to former political affiliations. We will recognize our friends wherever and whenever we find them, and at the polls we will sustain those such men and such party organizations as are in favor of protecting, encouraging and sustaining sheep husbandry in these United States by restoring the wool tariff of 1867, or its equivalent.

The Committee on Resolutions, through its chairman, Mr. Converse, also reported the following:

Resolved, That we suggest, for the consideration of the Executive Committee, the propriety of holding a meeting of such committee at Washington City during the next session of Congress, with a view to laying our grievances before that body and obtaining the needed legislation for our protection; and that they have power, if they deem it advisable, to call upon the various organizations of wool-growers in the United States to send delegates to such meeting.

The last resolution prepared by the committee was the following one:

Resolved, That the National Wool Growers' Association return their thanks to the officers and people of the city of St. Louis for their kind welcome and generous hospitality, and also to the Cotton Exchange and the merchants of St. Louis for the use of their beautiful hall for our, deliberations, and for the many attentions and acts of kindness and hospitality on the part of their officers and members. We recognize with satisfaction and approval the efforts now being made by the St. Louis Cotton Exchange to grade wools for the market, as conducive to trade and sellers' cost, and to provide a certain and reliable open wool market for the wool growers of the West, giving them for their now unremunerative production the largest amount for their product which the market affords."

Several verbal changes were ordered in the constitution, and after a special vote of thanks to Mr. Converse of Ohio, the convention adjourned sine die.

AFTER BUSINESS.

Leaving the hall at 11 o'clock the members of the convention were taken in carriages to the St. Louis Cotton Compress where the first public sale of wool under the new rules was held. The party then went to the Lafayette Park Brewery, which establishment was thoroughly investigated. Tower Grove Park and Shaw's Garden were exhibited, and the gentlemen brought to the Fair Grounds at 4 p. m. They met through the Zoological collection and inspected the new race track, sitting down at 5 o'clock to the banquet at the House of Public Comfort.

THE BEVIER TROUBLE.

A Review of the Situation by One of the Strikers.

Special Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

BEVIER, Mo., May 26.—The situation at this place remains unchanged. About ninety colored men are confined in the stockade at No. 4 mine, and, it is said, are preparing to go to work. Twelve of the leading citizens, including the Hon. D. D. Richards, were arrested Monday upon charges preferred by W. H. Loomis, of threats of violence to him and his property. Tuesday the case was withdrawn by the plaintiff and the parties released, as no evidence could be brought against them. In addition to the ninety darkies already here, eight negro women were shipped here from Iowa, and are also inclosed within the stockade. Messrs. Loomis and Snively and all their agents have taken up their residence within the pen. There is considerable dissatisfaction among those who have recently been brought from Iowa by Bunker, Loomis & Co., it is alleged, on false statements made by him in regard to the condition of fairs here. A number of the new comers declare that they will not remain here under any circumstances. Mr. Loomis was arrested in Bevier a few days ago upon the charge of having upon his person concealed weapons. Sheriff Morgan found a pistol in his pocket, and he was promptly disarmed. Mr. Gay, one of Loomis' clerks in this city, was arrested yesterday on a similar charge. Several articles purported to have been written by Mr. Loomis' son Gay, have from time to time appeared in the columns of the Globe-Democrat, in which it is claimed that nearly all these statements are false. No riot is brewing, no threats have been made, and no one has been hurt, all reports to the contrary, notwithstanding. The action of the strikers in this trouble is to be commended. The opposition have devised more than one plan to incite a riot by insulting remarks, etc., but every effort has been frustrated by the coolness and discretion the leaders. The importation of negroes here to take the place of white labor, is bitterly condemned by all the prominent business men of Macon County.

In direct contradiction to Mr. Loomis' charge of threats of violence, Mr. E. Y. Snively, one of the firm, in an interview with General Vandeveers of Macon, said he never saw a more peaceable, gentlemanly set of men than the strikers appear to be. He stated that he conversed with many of them on the streets of Bevier, and was treated by all with uniform respect. The men regard Mr. Snively by far the best man of the firm, and believe that if he were in control the present difficulty would long since have been adjusted. The railroad men are in earnest sympathy with the strikers. What they will do under the circumstances, however, is not yet determined.

PEARREE'S FLIGHT.

Mrs. Kirkland's Assailant Adjudged Guilty by the Jury.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

BALTIMORE, May 28.—The trial of J. Graham Pearree for an attempted felonious assault on Mrs. Kirkland at the Albion Hotel, which was concluded yesterday with a verdict of guilty, has excited more general interest than any case that has come before the Criminal Court for several years. Young Pearree is the son of Judge George Pearree of Cumberland, whose family is one of the oldest in the State, and the complainant, Mrs. Kirkland is also well known in society. Extraordinary interest has been lent to the case on account of the peculiar circumstances under which the felonious act was committed, and the Court room was crowded almost to suffocation. As has heretofore been explained, the scene of the assault was in a fashionable section of the city; entrance of the lady's apartment having been gained by Pearre, by crawling

AT THE RISK OF HIS LIFE,

along a narrow sill outside the window, on the fifth floor of the hotel, and at a late hour of the night. After publicity had been given to the case, strong efforts were made by the Pearre family to effect a compromise, but Mrs. Kirkland resolutely declined all overtures. Failing in this, ex-Senator William Pinkney, Whyte and other distinguished criminal counsel were employed for the defense. An effort to show that Mrs. Kirkland had so encouraged Pearre in his attentions to her as to prompt him in the belief that he would not be an unwelcome visitor to her rooms, failed utterly, there being no evidence to sustain it beyond that of Pearre himself, and the jury were only twenty minutes in arriving at a verdict. Frequent exceptions were taken by the defense during trial, and an appeal to a higher court will be made. The penalty for Pearre's crime is from five to fifteen years in the Penitentiary. When the verdict was announced yesterday, the prisoner broke down completely and wept like a child.

The principal evidence was given by Mrs. Kirkland herself, a brief outline of which has already appeared in the POST-DISPATCH. She gave her testimony with great hesitation and was frequently overcome by the embarrassing situation in which she found herself placed. Her acquaintance with young Pearre only antedated the time of the assault a few weeks. They had been introduced at the hotel and their acquaintance had been very slight. Accordingly on the night of the crime she awoke and found the defendant in her room he assumed an air of supreme confidence, and said determinedly that he should not leave till he had accomplished his purpose.

HE THREATENED TO SHOOT HER

should she make any outcry, threw her back upon the bed when she attempted to rise, bit her, kissed her, and tore her night clothes into shreds. He accused her of having admitted a gentleman to her room on a previous occasion and laughed at her protestations and appeals. Fortunately, she succeeded in getting a pistol, which he, however to do so any more, never to even say a glance at a seminary girl, be she as beautiful as a houri. Then they were fined $5 each, and the executive stayed proceedings. The son of the ex-Democratic candidate for the Vice-Presidency of the United States, however, displayed more nerve, and stood his case. He did even worse than that, he suborned a half dozen of the young ladies of the seminary as witnesses. Consternation forthwith entered the academy, and it is believed that every pupil who had ever so much as waved a handkerchief at a coat on a pole in a cornfield, wept briny tears of remorse, for it is an admitted fact in Kirkwood, as elsewhere, that the POST-DISPATCH never misses anything so absorbing as a seminary escapade if it occurs within twenty leagues of the city.

THE PRISONER IN COURT.

Last night the trial came off at the Police Station, about a block and a half from the depot. Justice William stewart presided, and a jury was made up of representative citizens. It was composed of Messrs. Foreman, Anderson, Buckner, E. D. Ricker, C. A. Kitchen and George Chambers. The trial and the circumstances leading to it had been the topic of conversation in the village since the story first brought to light, and the assemblage crowded into the small court-room was a thoroughly representative one. The pro and cons of the case had advocates, and they were on board to see justice meted out. Besides the witnesses whose names are given in the testimony, the Misses Zell, and several other young ladies from the seminary held up the arms of their principal, and the prosecuting witness, Mrs. Cairns. The older citizens were represented, and the blooming swells were out in force to attend their champion, and to discover whether, among the Heaven-given and constitutional rights of Dudedom was that of flirting with a pretty girl at a picnic and ride home with her. Among those interested spectators were George Murfitedt, Clarence Hodge, Non Sutherland, Ed Avery, Clem Hickman, Max Goede and others. Each Mitchell appeared for the prosecution, and Jake Hawkins for the defense.

By means of the three confessing pals, the prosecution found no difficulty in showing that Mr. Brown had, on a certain night, entered the grounds via the fence top, at a signal of waving handkerchiefs from a window; had even dared to approach the building—nay, more, had gone to the extreme length of holding rapturous conversation with two angelic beings at a second-story window. As Mr. James Fortune expressed it, it was a "kind of a Romeo and Juliet act." Did Mr. Fortune know the tale of the Juliets were? Yes, Miss Barrett and Miss McKinley. How long did the scene last? About twenty minutes. Did the Romeos demean themselves as gentlemen? They did, indeed. Did they kiss the Juliets? Yes, something scared the girls and they slammed the shutters to, but presently came back. Did the ladies ask the Romeos to go away? No.

The defense stranded here, the C. & A. detaining them on a bill of $400. An officer named Butler, who served writs of attachment for a small sum, was brutally assaulted by several of the showmen. The McLean County Fair Association's grounds and buildings were sold yesterday at auction under a mortgage for $12,800 to Mr. Abram Brokaw. Mrs. Maria Faust, who holds a second mortgage for $6,000, bought the property, which will be platted and sold as city lots.

WILLIAMSBURG, May 28.—Mrs. P. W. Hitmore of Lincoln, Neb. and Rosalie Tenchery of this city were married yesterday.

CHICAGO, May 28.—A secret conference was held yesterday by the representatives of English and American fire insurance companies to discuss the law recently passed in Ohio prohibiting the organization of local boards of underwriters. The subject was referred to a committee, which will report to-day.

CLINTON, May 28.—Thomas S. Gregory and Mary Lambert of this city were married here yesterday afternoon.

GIRARD, May 28.—J. W. McKinney of Van Buren, Ark., and Fannie H. Post of this city were married here yesterday. Charles W. Angell, after serving out his ten-years' term, was released from the Penitentiary yesterday, and accepted a clerical position with a manufacturing firm here.

LINCOLN, May 28.—A. M. Sargent and Rena Jinkins were married here last night.

NASHVILLE, May 28.—The third annual session of the Southern Illinois M. E. Sunday School conference is in session here with a large attendance.

PARIS, May 28.—W. C. Dicken of Chresman, who recently failed, hanged himself in his corn crib yesterday.

PEKIN, May 28.—The general council of the Reformed Episcopal Church of America is in session here.

JULIET AT THE WINDOW.

B. Gratz Brown, Jr., Plays Romeo to the Kirkwood Female Seminary,

And is Fined $20 for Trespass—Bright-Eyed Pupils Testify to Their Own Wickedness—How a Bowl of Slops Suddenly Terminated a Well-Arranged Balcony Scene.

The pretty suburb of Kirkwood has many delights. One of these consists of the most properly conducted female seminary in the world, an assemblage of beauties governed by the most efficient and lynx-eyed lady within three counties and twice as many townships; while another joy lies in the country residence of ex-Gov. B. Gratz Brown, distant but a few feet from the handsome seminary property.

For twenty-five years, or more, the seminary, as conducted by Miss Anna Sneed, knew no guile within its portals, and no Blue Beard durst for his life approach its windows. Whether it was the fact that within a twelvemonth Miss Sneed became Mrs. Anna Sneed Cairns, and thereby lent countenance to a natural propensity, on the part of her sweet pupils to also look askance upon the manly form, or whether it was due to the fact that the present season has seen an unusually attractive lot of young ladies attending the model seminary, is a matter of dispute among the good people of Kirkwood; but be that as it may, the susceptible young swells of the place have this year given the worthy principal much annoyance, and presumably the pupils an equal amount of pleasure —by walking, and loitering about the seminary,

UPON FLIRTATION BENT.

When the teachers were present the sweet pupils were, of course, shocked at such conduct, but when the teachers' backs were turned, they failed not to smile back (at least some did not) upon the cane-swinging swells. Of course they dared not smile very much, but only a little, just enough to drive the aforesaid swells into despair, and into such deeds of rashness, as even venturing upon the grounds under the cover of darkness, and in defiance of a governess, who is firmly believed to always sleep with one eye open.

Among the young men of Kirkwood who do not like to see an admirable an institution as pretty girls closely confined in a cage, chanced to be B. Gratz Brown, jr., and his immediate pals. Mr. Brown, like the sons of most illustrious men, is a well-meaning young fellow, just a trifle wild, perhaps, to be considered a prude, but otherwise as harmless as a homeopathic vial of rosewater. Mr. Brown and three of his chums were last Saturday evening, and chanced to meet a number of seminary grounds. The three pals weakened at the sight of the terrible Justice of the Peace, who assists and deals out the fines in the Kirkwood bailiwick. They pleaded guilty and considered it never to do so any more, never to even say a glance at a seminary girl, be she as beautiful as a houri. Then they were fined $5 each, and the executive stayed proceedings. The son of the ex-Democratic candidate for the Vice-Presidency of the United States, however, displayed more nerve, and stood his case. He did even worse than that, he suborned a half dozen of the young ladies of the seminary as witnesses. Consternation forthwith entered the academy, and it is believed that every pupil who had ever so much as waved a handkerchief at a coat on a pole in a cornfield, wept briny tears of remorse, for it is an admitted fact in Kirkwood, as elsewhere, that the POST-DISPATCH never misses anything so absorbing as a seminary escapade if it occurs within twenty leagues of the city.

THE PRISONER IN COURT.

Last night the trial came off at the Police Station, about a block and a half from the depot. Justice William stewart presided, and a jury was made up of representative citizens. It was composed of Messrs. Foreman, Anderson, Buckner, E. D. Ricker, C. A. Kitchen and George Chambers. The trial and the circumstances leading to it had been the topic of conversation in the village since the story first brought to light, and the assemblage crowded into the small court-room was a thoroughly representative one. The pro and cons of the case had advocates, and they were on board to see justice meted out. Besides the witnesses whose names are given in the testimony, the Misses Zell, and several other young ladies from the seminary held up the arms of their principal, and the prosecuting witness, Mrs. Cairns. The older citizens were represented, and the blooming swells were out in force to attend their champion, and to discover whether, among the Heaven-given and constitutional rights of Dudedom was that of flirting with a pretty girl at a picnic and ride home with her. Among those interested spectators were George Murfitedt, Clarence Hodge, Non Sutherland, Ed Avery, Clem Hickman, Max Goede and others. Each Mitchell appeared for the prosecution, and Jake Hawkins for the defense.

By means of the three confessing pals, the prosecution found no difficulty in showing that Mr. Brown had, on a certain night, entered the grounds via the fence top, at a signal of waving handkerchiefs from a window; had even dared to approach the building—nay, more, had gone to the extreme length of holding rapturous conversation with two angelic beings at a second-story window. As Mr. James Fortune expressed it, it was a "kind of a Romeo and Juliet act." Did Mr. Fortune know the tale of the Juliets were? Yes, Miss Barrett and Miss McKinley. How long did the scene last? About twenty minutes. Did the Romeos demean themselves as gentlemen? They did, indeed. Did they kiss the Juliets? Yes, something scared the girls and they slammed the shutters to, but presently came back. Did the ladies ask the Romeos to go away? No.

The defense stranded here, the C. & A. detaining them on a bill of $400. An officer named Butler, who served writs of attachment for a small sum, was brutally assaulted by several of the showmen. The McLean County Fair Association's grounds and buildings were sold yesterday at auction under a mortgage for $12,800 to Mr. Abram Brokaw. Mrs. Maria Faust, who holds a second mortgage for $6,000, bought the property, which will be platted and sold as city lots.

Mr. Barry Matthews also trespassed himself, but knew little about young Gratz. Will Godbey, son of the Rev. Mr. Godbey, had at one time seen Mr. Brown crawling through a hole in the seminary fence, but he testified strongly to the general goodness of the defendant. Frank Miss saw the girls WAVING THEIR HANDKERCHIEFS

at the window, considered this an invitation and, along with Gratz, went in to leave a note asking the girls to come out in the yard. The young ladies unanimously put the defense very much embarrassed, but didn't seem to think that any body should be hung because somebody had spoken to a being with a stiff hat and a coat on. Miss Julia Barret, a pretty demi-brunette, remembered that on the 3d of May Mr. Brown had been without the seminary windows. "I was at a second-story window and had conversation with Mr. Brown. He invited me to a gentleman friend. He was a ferry boat, tendered gratuitousness by Capt. S. C. Clubb for the occasion was moored. When the boat arrived at the picnic grounds, the children immediately gave themselves up to all kinds of amusements, and enjoyed themselves to their hearts content.

Amusement Notes.

Female minstrels and vaudeville rule at the Palace.

The Fair Ground and Zoological Garden are pleasant and popular resorts on warm days.

"Merchant of Venice" will be presented to-night by the McCullough Club at the Pickwick.

Lida Gardner's Minstrels with excellent specialty artists, are drawing good houses to the Casino.

Dr. Mary Walker, with a good theatorium show, is a strong card at Broadway & Trevener's Museum.

The famous Mexican Typical Orchestra, will give three concerts at the Olympic, beginning with matinee to-day.

The engagement of Dickson's Sketch Club closed last night

hat the young men who flirted with the
ngallant enough to refuse to submit to
r and unpleasant mode adopted of
it was time to leave. They therefore
miniature fire engine, consisting of a
and bucket and took reprisal on the
pal by sending streams of water into
ws. The young men feel much crushed
ion, as it interposes the strong arm of
the weight of its penalties
heir hopes and the consummation.
stated the view of the swells. He
apathy of the community was on the
defense because the rules of the institu-
tirely too strict anyhow, while the over-
ot so strict as it might be, and that no
an of spirit would refuse
ation wafted to him by the
of a perfumed-breathing handkerchief.
eply interested in the final decision, as
the question as to whether, legally, the
handkerchief may be considered an
id accepted without fear of subsequent
nt. In their own usages the question
nce been settled, but it has never been
n legally before.

MR. HASKELL'S WIFE.

Jealous Revelations in a Boston Divorce Case.

May 28.—A few years ago Mary Beebe,
ight, piquant young woman, came to
m an Ohio town and created a favorable
in musical circles by her singing. She
pember of the Ideal Opera Company,
sic was a favorite with the public. In
1880 society circles were astonished to
Richard G. Haskell, a young man of
favorably known in business circles, was
Miss Beebe. In December of that year
her, and they lived at No. 54 Common-
ue, among the aristocratic and wealthy
he "Hub." Not long after there were
they did not live happily, and it was
that the young wife had deserted her
looked over the transom into
room, No. 13, at the Gedney House, in
and saw the room was empty. This
10, 1884, at 6 o'clock in the morning. We
n to the next door, No. 14, and tried the
found it locked. I took off my shoe
ed it in. I saw my wife and Mr. Wm.
e room. The noise startled them. I
enough to identify my wife and be sure
her person was. I then came down from
n's shoulders and the door was opened
st and we pushed our way in, Mr. Sulli-
detective, going first. We found Mrs.
d gone into her own room. We all went
found her on the foot of the bed in a
ondition. I told her I had not gone there to
her. I only went to find out the truth of the
d I would now proceed for divorce. I
et if he would marry the woman, and he
ould. I asked her if she would marry
she said that was her intention. I told
she could come to Boston and sing and I
e trouble them. My wife has no reason
g me. I asked her that morning why she
The answer was that she was not happy.
er why, and she said she did not think I

ilivan corroborated the testimony of Mr.
and said that when they broke into the
West said to Mr. Haskell, "I would like to
this case." Mrs. Haskell made no defense,
represented by able counsel. Decision
rved.

WAS SHE MURDERED?

Dead Woman Found Dead with Marks of Violence on Her Person.

YARD, N. Y., May 28.—Lizzie Dolan, aged
the mother of two children, was found
the rear of her house this morning, with
rks of violence on her person. She had
prolonged debauch. Andrew Devitt, an
the house, was arrested on suspicion of
used her death.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

Of Interest From the City Beyond the Big Bridge.

esday morning judgments by default
Patrick Flannery for $125 and against
eating for $200 were rendered in 'squire
ourt, the defendants failing to appear. The
e commenced in 'Squire Long's Court, but
hange of venue asked for by the
attorney were taken before
Shea, and judgment rendered in
Messrs. Flannery and Keating, as was
e morning, were highly indignant because
eriority of the way the cases were con-
they claiming that they never asked for a
venue, and hence time and removal of the
n one court to another without their knowl-
s an outrage. Investigation into the mat-
ever, clearly developed that when their
were called in 'squire Long's Court on
day, both gentlemen, through their
E. P. Davis, demanded a change of venue,
Court agreed to grant it, waiving an affida-
cause was then set for Monday, May 26,
ire Shaw's Court, but when they
alled on that date neither the defendant nor
wyer appeared, and Mr. Alex. Finnigan, at-
for the city, not wishing to take undue ad-
of the defendants absence, as he knew that
impossible for their lawyer to be present,
to continue the cases until next day.
done, and the defendants again failed
ar on the following day judgment by de-
s rendered in favor of the city.
County Court this morning Judge Under-
ve his decision on the East St. Louis tax
hich he has had under advisement for sev-
s. He decides that the tax ordinance is
and the City has a right to collect the 1 per
. This is a great victory for the city, as
olves involved thousands of dollars.
neral of James Fitzmorris, who was run
killed by a bridge engine yesterday, took
-day to St. Patrick's Church and thence to
Cemetery, St. Louis. The Coroner held
uest on the body this morning and rendered
of accidental death.
Tate, a boy 14 years of age, was arrested
ht for stealing coal from the Louisville and
ville Railroad, but as the railroad company
no desire to prosecute, the boy was re-
this morning.
St. Patrick's School Sodality held its annual
to-day at Smith's Landing. About 5 o'clock
ilissa Solemnis was performed in the school
and marched down to the river bank, where
boat, tendered gratuitously by Capt. S. C.
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panorama of the "Siege of Paris" loses none
attractiveness on a second view. The details
picture are so many and its realism so strong
fully repays study.
appearance of Mr. and Mrs. Scott, Mr. Will
, Mr. Guy Lindsley, Mr. J. A. Kieselhorst,
Evanz, Miss Erba Robeson and others at the
s at the Olympic to-morrow evening, assures
lent entertainment.
last performance of "Billee Taylor" by the
pson Opera Company, at the Standard, was
last night, and "Pinafore" will be revived
to-night, to be continued until Monday night,
"Manette" will be presented.

THE SICK CHILDREN.

benefit of at Pope's to-morrow night should
ve the heartiest support of all good citizens.
atre proceeds go to the Augusta Free Hos-
for Children. The money will be devoted to
omfort of the little sick ones of our city, and
y man who pays a dollar to see this entertain-
will have the pleasure of knowing that it will
a cooling draft to some feverad and grateful
The play is by children—the sons and
hters of the rich playing in aid of the little
It is under competent management, and will
good performance.

Will of Fred Yeakel.

e will of Fred Yeakel was admitted to probate
ay. He leaves all his property to his wife
e, and after her death or in the event of her
rying again, to his five children, share and
e alike. Letters were issued to his wife on the
e, valued at $25,000.

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SPORTING.

Departure of the Browns on Their Eastern Trip.

Latonia Races—College Athletics—The Moline Regatta—Rowing at New Orleans—Sporting Sundries—Diamond Dust—Notes and Personals.

The final game between the St. Louis and Brooklyn Clubs at Sportsman's Park, yesterday, results d in a victory for the Browns by a score of 7 to 2. Terry and Hayes faced each other at the points for the visitors, and the former proved to be the most successful of Brooklyn's twirlers. Carruthers occupied the box for the Browns, and, as usual, played an excellent game. At the bat the opposing clubs were very evenly matched, the visitors securing seven hits, with a total of ten bases, and the Browns eight hits, with the same total of bases. In the field the Browns were very much superior, and had errors by McClellan, Phillips, Pinkney, Smith and Hayes aided the Browns materially in increasing their score. Bushong carried off the honors at the bat by hitting for three clean bases. The game was a very fitting wind up for St. Louis' long list of victories, and was the fifteenth consecutive game she has won on the home grounds.

Almost a Victory.

At Philadelphia the St. Louis League team received its third successive defeat yesterday at the hands of the Philadelphias, but the victory is entirely chargeable to miserable errors by St. Louis. Daily pitched in excellent form for Philadelphia, and for the first eight innings but three of the St. Louis club reached first base. In the ninth, however, with the score 4 to 0 against them, the "Black Diamonds" started in to win the game and were almost successful. In the ninth Briody hit to Myers and was thrown out at first, but Quinn, who hit in the same direction, reached first on Myers' fumble. Dunlap's single advanced Quinn to second and Shafer's three bagger brought both home. Lewis then came to the rescue and brought Shafer home, but both McKinnon and Glasscock were retired on fouls, leaving the final score 4 to 3 in Philadelphia's favor.

Games Elsewhere.

Visitors at the Polo grounds in New York saw a decidedly one-sided contest between the New York and Buffalo League Clubs yesterday. Galvin and Myers, and Welch and Ewing were the opposing batteries, and Galvin received the worst pounding that has been administered to him this season. Twenty-two base hits is the total record off his delivery, and every man in the New York nine had his share. Welch, on the other hand, was very effective, and but five safe hits were made off his delivery. In the field the Buffalos played a miserable game, and out of the twenty-four runs scored by New York, but two were earned. White, at third, was the only man not charged with an error, and Hingle, at second, played so wretchedly that at the end of the second, Richardson was called to fill his place while he retired to the field. The final score of this remarkable game was: New York 24, Buffalo 0.

Rhody's Pets yesterday presented the Chicagos with another victory, losing the game by a score of 4 to 1. The game was a clear case of luck, as the clubs played a very even game both at the bat and in the field, Chicago securing 8 hits and 6 errors while Providence tallied 6 hits and 7 errors. Chicago bunched her hits, however, in the first three innings, while Providence crowded her errors in the same innings, and the combination netted the boys from the lake 6 runs. In the sixth inning, Daly, whose hand was hurt in the fifth, and Kelly, who was ill, were relieved by Baggett and Sunday, respectively. The Providence Club scored its only run in the eighth, Farrell landing the ball over the fence for a clean home run.

But a corporal's guard was present at the Cincinnati-Athletic slugging exhibition at Cincinnati yesterday. Shallix for Cincinnati and Conway for the Athletics occupied the pitcher's box, and in the first four innings twenty-four runs were scored, fifteen by the Athletics and nine by the Porkopolitans. Both sides then made a change, Corkhill and Coleman coming in from right to the pitcher's box. In the succeeding four innings but one run, by the Athletics, was added to the score. Considering the hard batting, both sides played an excellent fielding game, the Athletics being charged with but one error and the Cincinnatis with five. The final score of the game was: Athletics 16, Cincinnatis 9.

At Pittsburg the home club defeated the Baltimores yesterday by a score of 6 to 2. Up to the eighth inning but one run was scored on either side, the Baltimores tallying in the fourth. In the eighth the Alleghenys "caught on" to Henderson and rolled up five runs, which won the game, the lead being too great for Baltimore to overcome. In the same inning the Baltimores added one run to their score, and the final run was made by the Pittsburgs in the ninth. Meegan pitched for the Pittsburgs and Henderson for the Baltimores.

At Boston the Detroits won an earned victory from the Bean-eaters yesterday, winning by a score of 5 to 4. In the first inning the Detroits started the ball rolling by scoring four runs, three of which were earned. In the second, fourth and fifth innings Boston scored a total of three runs on hits and errors. In the seventh Lovett's single and Phillips' double brought in another run, and in the eighth Wood made a home run. In the ninth Boston added one run to her score. Of the six runs scored by Detroit five were earned. The clubs played an even game at the bat and in the field, each making seven errors and the Detroits scoring eleven hits to Boston's ten.

Other games yesterday resulted as follows: At Cleveland, Toledo 2, Cleveland 1; at Indianapolis, Omaha 14, Indianapolis 10; at Nashville the game between the Atlantics and Nashvilles was postponed on account of rain; at Louisville, the game between the Louisvilles and Metropolitans was postponed on account of rain.

Racing at Cincinnati.

The opening day of the spring meeting of the Latonia Jockey Club near Covington was well attended, though the weather was threatening and a slight rain fell. The first race, a mile dash with maiden allowances, brought nine starters to the post. Coming down the stretch, Irish Pat had the lead but Quinn succeeded in coming up under the wire half a length in front in 1:44¼. The second event, for the Clipsetta stakes, a five-furlong dash for 2-year-old fillies, was contested by eighteen starters. Bonita won easily by a length in 1:04½; Alfaretta, second; Hattie D. H., third. The third race, for the Hindoo stakes, one mile and a half for 3-year-olds, brought out four starters. Bersan held the lead from the start and came in the winner in 2:43¾; Lepanto, second; Lord Coleridge, third. The fourth event, a selling race, one mile and a quarter, was won by Taxgathorer in 2:10¾ by an open length; Ultimatum, second; Boreas, third. The fifth race, six furlongs, heats, best two out of three, had ten starters, with Keokuk the favorite. The first heat was won easily by Annie Shelby in 1:17¼. Keokuk eighth. The second heat, after a close contest, was won by the favorite in 1:17, and the final heat gave Keokuk the race. The last heat was run in 1:20.

Brighton Beach Races.

The attendance at Brighton Beach yesterday was fair, but the absence of betting robbed the contests of a great deal of interest. The first race, a six-furlong dash for maidens of all ages, had thirteen starters, and was won easily by three lengths by Bessie B. in 1:17¾. Lucy Lewis second, Bonnie Chief third. The second race, seven furlongs, selling allowances, was won by Dutch Roller by a length in 1:33¾, out of thirteen starters; Huron second, Mickory, jr., third. The third race, selling allowances, one mile and a furlong, was won by Arsenic by a length, in 1:59. Rico second, and Valiant third. The fourth race, one mile and a quarter, for all ages, was won by Nellie and a quarter, for all ages, Gaynmeda third. The last event, a light welter weight hurdle race, over six hurdles, one mile and a half, was won by Jim McGowan by three lengths in 3:51. Rendor led at the start, but fell at the fifth hurdle.

Trotting at Philadelphia.

The trotting races at Point Breeze Park yesterday were lightly attended, owing to threatening weather. In the first race for the 2:34 class, Blanche won in three straight heats. Time, 2:27¾, 2:28¾, 2:30¼. The second race, for the 2:24 class, proved a walk-over for Mambrino Sparkle, who won the three heats in 2:28¾, 2:27¾ and 2:26¼.

The St. John Regatta.

Over 6,000 persons witnessed the final day's rowing races at the New Orleans regatta, and considerable money changed hands on the professional four-oared race. The weather has been very bad throughout the meeting, but the racing has been very good. The first race, amateur wherry, one mile and a half, had three entries, all of New Orleans. The race was the least interesting of the regatta, as Meserhoff of the Eclipse Club was manifestly the superior oarsman entered. He won the race in 18:05, with Song at second. In the next race, amateur pair oars, there were three entries, the Riversides and Eclipse of New Orleans and the Excelsiors of Detroit. The Excelsiors had everything their own way and won by a quarter of a mile in 10:02. The most interesting race of the day and meeting was the professional four-oared shell race. In it there were two entries; Plaisted, bow; Lee, No. 2; Peterson, No. 3, and Teemer, stroke, composing one crew, and Hosmer, bow; Gaudaur, No. 2; Parker, No. 3, and McKay, stroke, the other. The latter was the favorite crew, and at the start pulled into the lead, which it held to the stake. Turning the stake, however, Gaudaur lost two lengths, as the St. Louis boys made a mistake regarding the turning stroke, and had to give way to their opponents, who went a length to the front. On the home stretch both crews spurted, and the St. Louis boys cut down the lead by half a length, but could not catch the leaders, who won by half a length in 18:43.

At the Natatorium.

The cool weather yesterday prevented many from attending the Natatorium during the day, but in the evening quite a crowd was present. The water is heated by steam and is very comfortable for bathers, who should not be scared by the weather on the outside.

The gymnasium has been moved from the room on the second floor to the stage at the south end of the pool, thus avoiding the drafts in the Nat, which were occasioned by leaving the doors and windows open on the second floor.

Patrons of the Nat should not forget that the spring water now being used is only an experiment. Next week river water will be used and then a vote is to be taken to decide which shall be used the rest of the season.

Monday night has been set as the regular couple night at the Natatorium, and ladies desiring to visit there on Monday nights are required to register three days prior to their visits. A regular book is kept for this purpose, and any lady can be introduced by a friend who is already on the register, or who is personally known to the management.

Clerical Wheelmen on a Tour.

There are in the United States about three hundred clerical wheelmen, including twelve doctors of divinity, ten theological professors, some twelve authors, several editors and many pastors of prominent churches. About forty or fifty of these gentlemen are to unite in a tour of three weeks in Canada, wheeling over 621 miles of the best roads on this continent. The arrangements have been under the supervision of Rev. Sylvanus Stall of Lancaster, Pa. The start is to be made at Niagara Falls, August 5, and the route, by daily stages, leads through Hamilton, Galt, Woodstock, London, Goderich, Stratford, Guelph, Toronto, Newcastle, Brighton, Napanee, Kingston, by steamer among the Thousand Islands, and return to Niagara Falls August 26. The entire expense of the tour, including hotel bills and transportation by the Canada, is not to exceed $30. A Western division, starting at Detroit, is to join the Eastern party at London. The trip is unique, inexpensive, and amid new scenes, with roads of superior excellence, can hardly afford pleasure and profit to such gentlemen of the cloth as have mastered the matter of gravitation.

College Athletic Exercises.

This afternoon at 3:30 o'clock the college athletic exercises of the St. Louis University and Christian Brothers' College began at the grounds of the College of the Christian Brothers in Cote Brilliante. A band of music was in attendance and the order of events was as follows: Throwing base-ball—L. Hambright, B. McCarthy, R. Tesson, H. Scullin, P. Ballard; 150-yard run—J. Good, P. Ballard, W. Praul, W. Doyle, J. Peers, C. Goodnow; standing long jump—W. Praul, F. Leacock, H. Born, P. Ballard, R. Tesson, H. Soullin; running long jump—W. Praul, F. Leacock, G. Prendergast, V. Oberkoetter, H. Scullin, F. Temm; wheelbarrow race, 100 yards; throwing weight, 10 pounds—G. James, F. Leacock, W. Doyle, E. Reno, P. Ballard, H. Scullin; 100 yards dash—H. Scullin, R. Tesson, F. Temm, J. Good, W. Praul, P. Ballard; three-legged race, 100 yards; standing high jump—F. Temm, C. Goodnow, H. Born, H. Scullin, P. Ballard; running high jump—W. Praul, V. Oberkoetter, R. Tesson, D. Reilly; sack race, 100 yards; pole vaulting—F. Leacock, V. Oberkoetter, L. Lewis, J. Good, C. Ford; hurdle race, 200 yards—R. Tesson, F. Leacock, E. Reno, W. Doyle, P. Ballard, J. Peers; Junior race, 100 yards; hop, step and jump—V. Oberkoetter, F. Leacock, H. Scullin, P. Ballard; barrel race, 50 yards; tug of war—nine contestants on each side. The colors were: College, red; university, white. The judges were Mr. F. E. Sherman, S. J.; Mr. S. F. Myerson, Br. Elsear, F. S. C.

The Moline Regatta.

All the details for the Moline Professional Regatta, open to all oarsmen, which takes place on Saturday, June 13, have been completed. The races will be three miles over a three-quarters-of-a-mile course, with three turns, and will be in full view of the grand stand from start to finish. The Sylvan Boat Club, who have taken the matter in hand, have offered $1,000 in prizes for the following events. A single-scull race; a double-scull race; consolation single-scull race, and a special prize of $200 to the sculler who breaks the three-mile record. There will also be a dance race for the championship of the world. Among those who will take part in the races, are Jacob Gaudaur of St. Louis; George H. Hosmer of Boston; John McKay of Halifax, N. S.; Harry Parker of St. Louis, and John Teemer of Pittsburg, Pa. Edward Hanlan, who is expected in St. Louis on Saturday morning, will be present at the regatta as a guest of the Sylvans. Excursion rates on all railroads and steamboat lines have been arranged for, so that all may avail themselves of the opportunity to see the great sporting event.

The Mississippi Valley Amateur Rowing Association Regatta takes place on July 22 and 23, at the same place.

Athletic Notes.

Quite a delegation of St. Louis athletes will leave here Friday night for Chicago, including several members of the M. A. A. C., who will compete at Pullman at the spring meeting of the Pullman Athletic Club.

The tug of war between the Gymnasium and Turner Sixes will be one of the most exciting contests of the day. Each team will be composed of the strongest men of the different societies, and no one can now pick the winner.

George S. Rhodes will visit Pullman as the representative sent by the Missouri Amateur Athletic Club, and will endeavor to secure additional entries for the meeting here. There are already several entries from Pullman, and it is thought that when the value of the prizes is explained to them, a whole car load of Pullmanites will be present.

The present indications are that the track at Lucas Park will be very fast by June 7; in fact it bids fair to be the fastest in the country, and it is probable that the meeting on June 7 will not be merely a local affair, but will be really national in its character. There will be representatives from New York, Chicago, Pullman, Ill., Cincinnati, Memphis, Burlington, Iowa, and other cities.

George S. Rhodes was last night unanimously elected a director of the M. A. A. C. He has ever since the club was organized, been one of the moving spirits, and has given the club the value of his experience in athletic enterprises. When the club was organized he had been blacklisted by the National Association as a professional, but upon application of the club he was reinstated and was at once elected a member of the club and made a director thereof. He will take a leading part in the management of the coming meeting, and under his leadership it is bound to be a success.

Diamond Dust.

Denny of the Providence Club is laboring under a temporary suspension.

Nolan is still in the ring and will do some good twirling before the season is out.

Next Sunday afternoon the Black Sox and Eclipse, two leading colored clubs, will cross bats at Sportsman's Park.

The seats on the Athletic grounds are being changed, and when altered there will be a seating-capacity of nearly 10,000.

An exchange suggests that when next the Philadelphia club plays the Chicagos, it should have Sullivan, McCaffrey and Mitchell on the bases.

Umpire John Kelly affects to be sentimental. He says one or two more hard knocks from the newspapers will cause him to send in his resignation.

John L. Sullivan and Jack Burke have made arrangements to spar four rounds at Chicago on June 13. Sullivan is showing the white feather. He declines to meet McCaffrey, but makes a match with Burke.

Philadelphia papers say Harry Wright has received over a barrel of letters and postal cards giving advice on the management of the Philadelphia club.

The Prix de Diane race at Paris on the 24th was won by M. Michel Ephrussen's 3-year-old ch. f. Barberine. M. A. Straub's 3-year-old b. f. Escarbouche third.

The first game the Browns will play on their Eastern trip will be at Baltimore on Friday, the 29th, one of the games set for Decoration Day having been changed to that date.

After last Saturday's game between the Kansas Citys and Milwaukees, Ted Sullivan fined Veach, his pitcher, $25 for being caught at first, and Coglan $15 for throwing wild to third.

In Boston the Lucas team went to the grounds in a coach and four. Here open barouches were good enough. At New York covered carriages will probably be resorted to, and after that the boys will patronize the horse cars.—[Philadelphia Record.

Maude S. takes her work early in the day, so this week's race-goers at Belmont did not even see her in harness. She continues in good shape, and Mr. Bonner promises to let her make an attempt at lowering her record before leaving her present quarters.

The Philadelphia papers claim that the Philadelphia-Chicago game on Monday was lost through the trickery and unsportsman-like action of the Chicago players. It is alleged that Kelly ran into Fogarty in the fifth inning while he was fielding him out, threw him down and held him there until Gore had scored. Other exhibitions of like nature occurred.

Five of the Athletics are unable to play ball, owing to injuries they have received. Cushman is suffering with a lame back, the effect of a bad wrenching while practicing in this city; O'Brien has a dislocated thumb, Milligan had his hand spiked in Pittsburg, and is unable to play; Larkin has his right hand split between the first and second fingers, and Matthews still suffers from a sore hand, the result of a hot ball in the Sunday game here.

Manager Ted Sullivan, of the Kansas Citys, undertook to personally assault Umpire Hoover in the office of the Kirby House at Milwaukee last Saturday evening. Hoover is physically much the inferior of the Boston slugger's namesake, but he succeeded in parrying the vicious thrust of his antagonist and giving the latter a very hard hit. Bystanders interfered, preventing a rough and tumble fight. The trouble originated in Sullivan's disagreement with Hoover's decisions as umpire.—[Evening Wisconsin.

The entries, which closed on Saturday, for the great $10,000 race at Charter Oak Park during the grand circuit meeting next August, have been announced by the Association. It is known as the Charter Oak Guarantee Stakes for the 2:30 class, and all horses eligible on May 13 could enter for it. Subscribers have until the night of August 12 to name their horses. Eleven subscriptions have been booked, and their character warrants the belief that there will be a field of first-class flyers, and a race no less exciting than the $10,000 race at Charter Oak Park last summer. James Golden, who is handling the horses of Mr. Sheppard, of Boston, may name Butterfly (record 2:19¾) or a green horse, DeBary, of which there is high expectation. C. T. Kenyon, of Providence, is reported to again have the mare Fellow Dock, 2:20¾; J. M. Davis, of Chicago has Belle F., 2:20 1-4; Thomas Forkes of Sherman, Tex., is reported to have a very speedy stallion; John Murphy of New York has Kenilworth (record, 2:21) and other fast ones; T. C. Bradley of Milwaukee can name Adelaide, good for 2:20¾; M. M. Hedges of Philadelphia has Modoc, and George Scattergood of Philadelphia has Lizzie M., 2:20¾; H. C. Woodman of Boston has Young Smuggler and another quite as good; W. R. Armstrong of Almont Mich., is reported to have a very fast horse, new to Eastern tracks, and Charles Green of Babylon, L. I., has a 2:20 horse in Humboldt.—[Hartford Exchange.

Sporting Sundries.

W. A. Albright left for Mt. Vernon, Ill., last night o attend a sportsman's shoot which takes place here to-day.

Del. Groves leaves for the Allegheny Mountains next Thursday, and will spend about two weeks fishing in the mountains.

Billy Norris will probably not take part in the sprinting contests at the coming meet, as he complains of pains about his knees.

Mr. Dabney Carr is preparing for a trip to the northern lakes in quest of the finny tribe. Mr. Carr leaves next Friday and will be gone about ten days.

John Hegner Smythe and his friend Mr. Blake met with considerable success at Chouteau Slough yesterday. Judge Smythe caught some of the best crappie he has seen this season.

The American Cricketers' Association proposes to furnish its umpires with bat gauges, so that no batsman can use a bat wider than the regulation size, which is four and a quarter inches.

Emil Voss, a muscular German, who stands 6 feet 4 inches in height and weighs 230 pounds, now challenges Carl Abs to a Grœco-Roman wrestling match. He has just arrived in New York from Havana.

Four of he most noted sprinters in the country, Ford, Butcher, Murphy of Pullman, and Goodwin of Chicago have signified their intention of taking part in the athletic meet which takes place at Union Park on the 6th of next month.

Should Beach arrive in London before the autumn several patrons of rowing in the metropolis offer to add between $1,000 and $2,500 to the sweepstakes for the championship of the world, providing he, Hanlan, Ross and Teemer are among the competitors.

At the Williamsburg Athletic Club grounds recently John Meagher of Lawrence, who is to walk Daly of England on the 30th inst., walked a mile in 6 minutes 31 seconds, and F. P. Murray, amateur champion, walked three-quarters of a mile in 4 minutes and 53 seconds.

Richard K. Fox has offered a cup valued at $1,000 to be contested for by double teams on the track of the New York Driving Club in September; each owner to drive his own team. He is also anxious to match his team, Nelly Bontar and Sir Mohawk, against any double team, brother and sister, for from $5,000 to $10,000 a side.

Amateur Base Ball Brevities.

The Deluge Base Ball Club are doing some fine work this season.

The Little Rowes defeated the Brown Stars by a score of 4 to 2 last Sunday.

The "Aquesturis" have reorganized and elected the following officers: R. Tahey, president; A. L. Cobb, vice-president; H. A. Rosenbaum, secretary, and H. Hawkins, treasurer. They will issue invitations for a lawn party June 12.

The Brown Stars have organized for the season of 1885, with the following players: Jas. Gallagher, c.; Joe Hughes, p.; J. Corkery, 1b.; J. Frewer, 2b.; Powers, 3b.; T. Tobin, s. s.; G. Lavelle, l. f.; W. Costelloe, r. f.; F. P. Geraghty, c. f. Send challenges to J. McGarry, 1521 O'Fallon street.

The Little Mullays have organized with the following players: Mullay, c.; C. Quinlivan, p.; Fey, 1b.; Able, 2b.; Wallace, s. s.; Parker, 3b.; Knott, l. f.; Miller, c. f.; Koltans, r. f. They would like to hear from the Little Nicols. Address all challenges to Quinlivan, 3808 Dayton street.

The Dog Trots have organized for the season with the following players: M. Sheirs, c.; J. Rosenheiser, p.; T. Roche, 1b.; G. Connors, 2b.; B. M. Quinlan, 3b.; B. G. McIntire, l. f.; C. Betts, r. f.; J. O'Hair, c. f. Send all challenges to Geo. Myers, 716 Olive st. We would like to hear from all clubs under 17 years of age.

The Little Standards have organized for the season with the following players: W. Doffer, c.; E. Lynch, p.; G. Clear, s. s.; A. Johnson, 1b.; H. Bruckhoff, 2b.; D. Asthos, 3b.; R. Death, l. f.; C. Worth, c. f.; W. Burns, r. f. Address challenges to H. Bruckhoff, second base and captain, 716 Olive street. Would like to hear from all clubs under 15 years of age.

The Comets Base-ball Club have organized for the season of 1885 with the following players: J. Burns, c.; J. Cullen, p.; L. Stoll, 1b.; D. Crane, 2b.; J. Lewis, 3b.; J. Foley, s. s.; P. McGrath, l. f.; D. Aylward, c. f.; J. Dillon, r. f. They would like to hear from clubs whose members are under 15 years of age. Address all challenges to John Burns, 2020 Ash street, rear.

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FESTUS J. WADE, Secretary.

The Branch Penitentiary.

The contracts for furnishing the iron-work on the new four-story stone addition to the State Penitentiary at Jefferson City has been let to the McMurray-Judge Architectural Iron Company by Warden Marmaduke. The bids, which were from the four largest firms engaged in the iron business in the city, ranged from $25,000 to $18,000, the latter figure being the bid of McMurray & Judge. Mr. Marmaduke, who is stopping at the Lindell, speaking to a POST-DISPATCH reporter this morning about the location of the branch penitentiary, said: "The Board of Penitentiary Inspectors are exercising a great deal of care in selecting a location, and I hardly think that they will come to a decision for several years yet. You see, when once the Penitentiary is built it is for all time, and the place selected must offer enduring and not temporary advantages. All the cities and towns visited so far by the Board have doubtless offered great inducements, and it will be rather a difficult matter for it to come to a thoroughly impartial and just conclusion, such as I know they desire to reach."

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The Divorce Case of the Champion Pugilist on Trial.

John L.'s Efforts to Blacken the Character of His Wife—Mrs. Sullivan's Pitiful Story of Her Cruel Treatment by the Prize-Fighter.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, May 28.—The interest which is being taken in the divorce case of the champion pugilist, John L. Sullivan, attracted a crowd in the Supreme Court yesterday that filled all the available space. Among the spectators were a number of prominent sporting men of this and other cities. The great pugilist occupied a seat between his counsel, C. E. Whitcomb and Thomas F. Barley. He never looked better in his life. He has allowed his mustache to grow and also his hair. He wore a silk-faced Prince Albert coat, closely buttoned up, and light trousers with a modest check. He had his top coat on his arm and carried a new silk hat in his hand. The libellant is a tall and straight brunette, of majestic proportions, whose weight is probably 180 pounds. She wore a close-fitting black dress and long silk gloves of chrome yellow. A small bonnet of black and yellow was perched on top of her head; a pair of diamond drops glistened in her ears and a half veil barely shaded the handsome eyes. Though a large woman, Mrs. Sullivan is very attractive and not without the elements of beauty. When she climbed into the witness box John L.'s face assumed a hard, stern look and he stared straight in front most of the time, only occasionally, at long intervals, casting a glance at gentle Annie.

MRS. SULLIVAN'S STORY.

Upon being sworn and the examination of Mr. Ross told her story: "I was married to John L. Sullivan May 1, 1883, at Roxbury. His habits were good before marriage and for about six months afterwards, when he began to drink badly and became intoxicated very frequently. He would be brought home drunk, and I had to undress him and take care of him many a time. This state of things continued up to the time I left him. The first time he abused me was while I was traveling with him in the far West. At a place in Montana he came into the dining-room and kicked me and then threw things at me for no cause whatever. At Leadville he drank hard and drove me out of the hotel with a pitcher. I was in my wrapper and slippers. I went because I was afraid for my life. After we returned to Boston he never came home until after 3 or 4 o'clock in the morning. He did not carry a latch key and required me to sit up waiting and watching for him. He expected me to do this even if he did not come until the next night. I have frequently sat up all night, night after night, waiting for him. I left him in December, 1884. For nearly a year previous to that he was drunk nearly all the time, and would come home and abuse me frequently. Last summer I was in Natick, R. I., at my brother's house. He came up to Natick from my residence one Saturday night to see me. He was drunk and asleep in a carriage. I refused to let him in. John came back Sunday morning and came into my room. I was afraid of him and ran into Mrs. Adams' part of the house, where my baby was. John came after me and struck me with his fist in my face, knocking me senseless over the back of a trunk."

Upon being cross-examined she said that she had been married to a man named Davis, but only lived with him a year and a half. She was introduced to John L. by a hackman, six months before she married him.

"Did you live with Mr. Sullivan as his wife prior to your marriage with him?" said Mr. Barry.

Mrs. Sullivan here became very much agitated, and

LOOKED APPEALINGLY AT HER COUNSEL,

who promptly objected to the question.

"What do you propose to show?" asked Judge Allen.

"I propose to show that this woman had lived in a questionable relation with Sullivan previous to her marriage, and that she knew his habits thoroughly," replied Mr. Barry. "If a lady of high character and refined feelings had married this champion, it might make a difference," argued Mr. Barry, "but such was not the case. She knew he was a champion, and married him as such."

"I think," said Judge Allen, "it is competent to show the relations of the parties before the marriage, if the testimony comes from other sources, but the witness is not obliged to answer the questions unless she wishes to do so."

Mr. Barry repeated the question with a qualifying phrase. After pausing a while, during which time the blushes suffused her pale face, Mrs. Sullivan kept back her tears and said in a low voice, "I decline to answer." Mr. Barry put the next question on the subject in a very much altered form.

"She declined to answer the question," said Judge Allen. "You need not follow it up."

The witness continued: "I knew what Mr. Sullivan's reputation was. I don't remember seeing him drink much previous to our marriage. I saw him drink beer occasionally, but did not drink with him. I married him after the fight with Ryan, and knew he was the Sullivan who figured in that contest."

Here John L. looked somewhat wearied and took out a tooth-pick and began to chew it with evident relish.

"I don't remember whether or not I went on a tour with him before we were married," continued the witness.

"Didn't you, as a matter of fact, take pride in his reputation as a fighter?" asked the examining lawyer.

"I don't know as to that," said Mrs. Sullivan, rather doubtfully. "He always told me that he was going to retire from the business. He always said he would when he made money enough. He did make money enough, but did not retire. I never knew of his having other business. I wanted him to retire before he made money enough, and asked him to do so several times. When he came to my brother's house in Natick, August 31, I would not have let him in if I had known who it was. I was afraid of my life, when he had threatened." Mrs. Sullivan became so exhausted, having been on the stand for over an hour, that a chair was brought for her to sit on. She appeared so weak, however, that the Judge suspended further cross-examination until this morning. Mrs. Adams of Natick gave testimony which corroborated Mrs. Sullivan's. On cross-examination she said that Sullivan said that the was already a corpse. Windom reached the city to-night to buy a coffin for his bride instead o the trousseau which she intended to purchase.

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Due notice will be given.

HENSHEK—MARY STUART HENSHEK, beloved wife of George Henshek, May 26, at 12:30 p. m.

Funeral from family residence, No. 1133 N. Thirteenth street, Friday, May 29, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

TRUTEBERG—On Tuesday, May 26, at his residence, 3719 N. Twelfth street, JUSTUS TRUTEBERG, aged 61 years and 3 months.

Funeral Friday, May 29, at 2 p. m. Friends are invited to attend.

Alton (Ill.) papers please copy.

RYAN—Tuesday, May 26, 1885, HENRIETTA S., wife of David S. Ryan, aged 44 years and 3 months.

MATHER—On Wednesday, 27th inst., MARY EL

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WANTED—At 2713 Cass av., boy that can have the use of tools or wants to learn a trade. 34

WANTED—A good boy to go in the country to work for protestant lady for the summer. For particulars inquire at 1427 N. 19th st., at 7 a. m., or 6 p. m. a35

WANTED—Boy for young man's restaurant and kitchen. Ap. Maloney's Restaurant, 3003 Easton av. s31

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HELP WANTED—MALE.

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WANTED—Teams and men on Olive between 11th and 12th sts., Friday morning. John A. Lynch. s30

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Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A man to make himself generally useful round the house, and a dishwasher. 1601 Washington av. s27

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

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WANTED—By a young lady, fully competent, a position as stenographer and type writer; can write rapid and accurately. Ad. E 17, this office. s45

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WANTED—A servant girl for general housework, cooking, washing and ironing. Apply at 26 S. Compton av. f66

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WANTED—A good German girl who understands cooking, and to do general housework; no washing. Call at once at 2020 Chestnut st. s66

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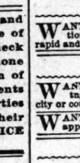

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. Preston Place opposite Shild av., blk 1893.

w. cor. Jefferson and Russell av., blk 1893.

. 3d Carondelet av., 50 ft. s. of Pestalozzi.

. of Jefferson s. e. cor. Crittenden.

. Adele, s. w. cor Crittenden, blk 1921.

. s. of Jefferson, s. w. cor. Crittenden.

. Clara, s. e. cor. Crittenden, blk 1921.

. s. Dana, s. w. cor. Crittenden, blk 1923.

. s. Ohio, s. w. cor. Crittenden, blk 1923.

. e. cor. Crittenden and California av.

. Ohio, 50 ft. s. of Crittenden.

. e. cor. Oregon and Wyoming, blk 1473.

. Cherokee st., 58 ft. w. of Wisconsin av.

. cor. Illinois and Utah sts., blk 1838.

. s. Gravois r'd, 117 ft. s. of Arsenal st.

. s. w. cor. Gravois r'd and Minnesota av.

. s. Cherokee, 100 ft. e. of Sarah, blk 1874.

. Tholan, bet. Grand and Sanguinette.

. Grand, s. w. cor. of Winnebago, blk 1876.

. Winnebago, s. e. cor. Sanguinette, blk 1876.

er lot fronting 620 ft. on Old Manchester r'd and

. s. King's Highway, near Old Manchester r'd.

. Old Manchester r'd, near King's Highway.

. s. of Keokuk st., 100 ft. e. of Kossuth av.

. cor. Meramec st. and Iowa av., blk 2822.

. s. of st., 200 ft. w. of Prairie av.

Evans av., bet. Pendleton and Newstead.

Third st., 115.5 ft. s of Market st. (Carondelet), 2845.

. s. Pennsylvania av., 125 ft. s. of Itaska.

. e. cor. California av. and Meramec st.

. of Easton av., 60 ft. n. of Victor, blk 748.

larence av. (Lowell).

ss Place.

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brick, 1611 State st., 10 rooms, modern improv.

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brick, 4015 Clara st., 22x117.6, blk 1645.

uble frame, 2806 Papin st., 25x135, blk 2212.

uble brick, 1016-18 Hamlet st., 48x110, blk 483.

brick, 1624 Michigan av., 20x175, blk 1267.

es, 2818x2825.5 e. s. of Old Manchester rd, with b

brick, 215 Chouteau av., 40x83.

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FISHER & CO.,

714 Chestnut Street.

SALE—Cheap—Cottage house and one acre d, Kirkwood. Apply at Land Title of ce, 6 N. 7th st.

UTIFUL RESIDENCE at Floris- $6,000 sant, large grounds, 200x250, highly improved brick dwelling with 12 rooms, the cheapest suburban home in the county; or would make a good hotel.

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SALE—300 acres, 125 improved, good, new-room frame house, good fences all around ars and stable, 2 never-failing wells, 130 bearing ar; 6 miles from county seat, 4 miles to good school railroad point Batesville, Ark., 20 miles; $6 per Briggs, 320 S. 4th st., St. Louis.

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MS FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—30 acres, house, stables, orchard, crop, etc., only $650; 30 ing house, orchard, stable, given away; 80 ild and poultry farm, near town, $1,000; 80 acres, cattle, sheep, crop included, only $2,000; 160 ing city goods, groceries, notions, etc., part in part; send stamp for reply to E. Doran, Pontiac, Ill.

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Choice Rio, per lb	12½c
Fancy Rio, per lb	17½c
Fancy Golden, per lb	20c
Guatemala, per lb	20c
Choice Java, per lb	25c
Extra Choice Java, per lb	25c

GREEN COFFEES.

Prime Rio (good drink)	10 lbs for $1 00
Choice Rio, Dark Handsome	9 lbs for 1 00
Fancy Golden	8½ lbs for 1 00
Fancy Guatemala	7 lbs for 1 00
Choice Java	6 lbs for 1 00
Extra O. G. Java	4½ lbs for 1 00

CITY ITEMS.

Is the POST-DISPATCH of last evening was advertised by D. Crawford & Co. a great sale for three days only of their celebrated and popular shirt the "Hero," the best dollar shirt in America. This house, as a pulse-tester on shirts, proposes to let this shirt fly for Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the nominal price of 50 cents. Don't get left.

34 Houses Beautifully Furnished for $6,000,

Or what we save in rent alone each year by locating our elegant new six-story building on Locust, between Third and Fourth streets ($6,000), will furnish 34 houses of 5 rooms each—1 parlor, 1 bed-room, 1 dining-room, 1 servant's room, 1 kitchen, or 40 articles. We have 12 electric lights, elevators, and all modern improvements. See our goods.

GUERNSEY FURNITURE CO., 304, 306 and 308 Locust st.

See our new sign S. E. cor. Fourth and Locust.

'Tis vain to seek a powder that defies detection; but use Pozzoni's to improve the complexion.

DR. E. C. CHASE, 922 Olive street. Set of teeth, $8.

PRIVATE matters skillfully treated, and medicine furnished. DR. Dinsbeer, 814 Pine street.

DR. WHITTIER, 617 St. Charles street, cures diseases of indiscretion, excesses, indulgencies. Call or write.

CITY NEWS.

Commercial Council, No. 3, Legion of Honor, gave a very pleasing musical and literary entertainment last night at Lyceum Theater.

The Public School Library will be closed on Decoration Day by order of Dr. Henry Hickman, President of the Board of Managers.

The graduation exercises of the St. Louis High School Infirmary Society will take place at the High School hall to-morrow afternoon at 2:45 o'clock.

The Upper Council of St. Vincent De Paul's Society held their regular monthly meeting last night. The officers submitted their annual reports.

A meeting of the Engineers' Club was held last night at Washington University. Messrs. W. H. Allerdice and W. H. Bryan read very interesting papers.

Yesterday afternoon the Ways and Means Committee of the Board went out to Benton Station for the purpose of selecting a site for a new public school.

Charles Lucas, a colored man 48 years of age, was arrested yesterday on complaint of Carrie Whitney who charges him with obtaining money from her under false pretenses.

John Dempsey, who resides at 306 S. Seventh street, had a quarrel with his wife, Maggie, last night and struck her on the head. It was necessary to send her to the City Hospital, Dempsey was arrested.

Rudolph Kemp and George Bon were arrested yesterday on a charge of selling lottery tickets. The defendants take place in Rock St. Louis and it is a custom of these two to come over to this side and sell tickets.

John Neuselle, who lives at 3339 S. Second street, but his balance while at work last evening on a new building on Thirteenth street, between Lemp avenue and Sydney street, and fell a distance of twenty-four feet. His left arm was broken and his skull fractured. His injuries are very likely to prove fatal.

Jane Lawson was drunk last night and was locked up in the Carr Street Station. While in confinement she attempted to hang herself by fastening one of her clothing to one of the bars of her cell, and then making a noose, into which she put her head. When found she was almost rigid. She was cut down at once and sent to the City Hospital, but it is thought she cannot live.

The meeting of the Carpenters and Builders' Association which was to have been held at Central Turner Hall did not take place on account of the absence of members. The reason of this failure to attend is that the association has been entirely absorbed by the branch of the National Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, organized at Lightstone's Hall on last Monday night by Mr. P. J. McGuire of Philadelphia.

Neurial Cures Neuralgia!

A few drops applied kills the pain instantly. Sold by druggists at 50c. Neurial Co.

Rubber equipment, imported and "our own." J. B. Sickles Saddlery Co., 1102 Washington avenue.

HOTEL PERSONALS.

T. B. Simms, Indianapolis, Ind.; C. H. Fessenden, Niagara Falls, N. Y.; L. D. Girard, St. Joe, Mo., and C. D. Goodwin, Tyler, Texas, are at Hurst's.

H. Simmons and wife, Denver, Col., E. Hord Marshfield, Mo.; G. Burnes, Cincinnati, Ohio, and D. I. Holcomb, Sedalia, Mo., are at the St. James.

A. M. Jones, Corydon, Ind.; Mrs. J. B. Ridgeway, Pierre, D. T.; M. Britton, Denver, Col.; J. W. Fitzgerald, Sedalia, and C. J. Nesbitt, Plattsburg, Mo., are at the Laclede.

H. May, Philadelphia, Pa.; W. S. Freeman, Orange, N. J.; W. J. Littlejohn, Chicago; W. S. Flaring, New York, and O. L. Baker, Cleveland, Ohio, are at the Planters'.

Miss E. Hawkins, Hannibal, Mo.; T. F. Grubbs, Pittsburg, Pa.; Mrs. J. Pringle and daughter, Baldwin, Ill., and N. R. Miller, Jefferson City, Mo., are at Hotel Barnum.

A. B. Armstrong, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; C. W. McLilly, Cincinnati, Ohio; E. M. Ashcroft, Vandalia, Ill.; J. G. Fowler, Philadelphia, and S. F. Hobbs, Aurora, Ill., are at the Planters'.

H. H. Molyneaux, England; Dr. Sarah C. Harris, Galena, Ill.; Mrs. Chambers, Omaha; T. W. Simkins, Philadelphia; F. H. Lyrett, New York, and Walter Ferrier, Chicago, are at the Lindell.

Charles Jessop, New Haven, Conn.; V. T. Hedden, Columbus, Ohio; G. W. Smith and wife, Flora, Ill.; L. C. Hunter, Cincinnati, Ohio; L. M. Christ, Minneapolis, Minn.; J. C. Brown, Franklin, Ohio, and H. C. Stewart, Detroit, Mich., are at the Everett.

H. R. Wagner, Effingham, Ill.; J. H. Bartle, St. Clair, Mo.; George Lasalle, Denver, Col.; W. B. Bird and J. F. Kemmeter, Chicago; O. H. Romlott, Richmond, Ind.; George H. Gill, A. F. Ryerson, A. E. Powell, Mexico, Mo.; and E. H. Coats, Wright City, Mo., are at Hotel Hunt.

C. G. McRoberts, Chicago; F. P. Wade, Indianapolis; J. D. Swan, Bloomington; J. A. Ackerson, Crystal City; Edward Jones, Memphis; W. H. McKee, New Orleans; A. Eddy, Dallas; J. S. Betts, Milwaukee, and H. Dawson, Cincinnati, are at Barnum's.

The question, "Who are you going to vote for?" is uppermost in all minds at election time. It is very important that the nation should have a capable chief magistrate, but it is of infinitely greater importance that the people over whom he is called to preside should be a strong, healthy and vigorous race. The use of Hostetter's Herb Bitters in all cases of dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaints and disorders of the stomach has been found invaluable in restoring shattered health.

The New St. Paul Short Line,

Via the Great Wabash Route, opens Sunday night, May 31. The shortest and quickest line to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Lake Minnetonka, Spirit Lake, and all the summer resorts of Iowa and Minnesota. New Pullman palace sleeping-cars between St. Louis and St. Paul and Minneapolis without change. This is the only night line out of St. Louis, saving passengers the heat, dust and tediousness of a long day ride. Ticket offices, No. 120 North Fourth street and the Union Depot.

Trunk goods, whips, horse clothing, lap dusters and stable furniture at J. B. Sickles Saddlery Co.

THE GAS FRANCHISE.

The Council Resumes the Consideration of the Proposed Contract—A Lively Scene.

The Council committee of the whole appointed to consider the ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Improvements to advertise for bids for the gas franchise met again last evening. Mr. Seddons' amendment that the contractor shall begin the laying of pipe within six months after the granting of the contract, and be ready to furnish gas on or before January 1, 1890, was agreed to. Other amendments, ordering the laying of five miles of pipes per year, and providing for the plan of laying, were adopted. Sections nine and ten of the ordinance were taken up and passed. These provide for the sewers to be built at the works, and for a bond of $100,000 to be given by the contractor. Section seven was also passed after a debate, adopted without material alteration. This provides for the purchase of the gas works and property of the company on appraisement at any time after twenty years subsequent to January 1, 1890. A discussion followed, brought on by Mr. Seddons, who desired that the city should have the right every five years to fix the price of gas. Messrs. Stone and Temple held that no contractor would take the franchise on terms which would permit him to make but 6 per cent. Mr. Cummings held that the gas companies would fix the matter up so as to swindle the city. In reply to a protest by Mr. Stone, Mr. Cummings further stated that there never was an honest man connected with a gas company in this city. An acrimonious dialogue ensued, in which Mr. Stone tried to get the data of the manner in which Mr. Cummings had made his own fortune. The particulars were not forthcoming, and when the orators had cooled down, the Council adjourned.

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OUR NEIGHBORS.

Interesting Personal and Social News Gossip from the Neighboring Towns.

Special Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

PANAMA, Ill., May 27.—A good shower came last night, a much needed blessing, as the ground has been getting too dry for vegetation.——Several new business blocks now building here are progressing finely.——The new City Council has ordered all wooden awnings in the business portion of town to be taken down. Many persons have already complied with the law, and the changed appearance of the town is greatly enhanced thereby.

DR. CHARLES, Mo., May 26.—Mr. Joseph Liedhoff and Miss Katie C. Meyer were married Tuesday afternoon at St. Peter's Catholic Church.——Rev. George C. Moore, pastor of the Episcopal Church, this city, has resigned his charge here and will move to Louisiana, Mo., shortly.——The St. Charles Club will play the Jules Munn nine of St. Louis at Hackman's Park next Sunday.——Mrs. H. P. Hull of Rock Island, Ill., is visiting the family of John N. Nutelberger, City Treasurer.

JENNESVILLE, ILL., May 27.—Hon. E. Carlin was in Decatur this week.——Dr. C. W. Enos and wife were visiting in Edwardsville, Thursday.——Mr. Hale, who has been the guest of Colonel Fullerton, returned to Pennsylvania, Wednesday.——Prof. Pike tried his luck fishing Tuesday.——Mrs. Allen La Rose, mother of Mrs. Reed, left Wednesday for New Jersey.——Mrs. Smith was called to Decatur on Wednesday by the funeral of a near relative.——Jerseyville has an evening daily now, the Evening Times, edited by Walker & Blankenhasset.——The weather is very favorable here for a good corn and oat crop. Corn is about all planted and coming up. Wheat will be very light, scarcely enough for seed.

SARCOXIE, Mo., May 27.—The Southwest Missouri Short Horn Association will be given a banquet at their next meeting here, on June 2. About one hundred members are expected to attend.——The Tri County Fair Association will hold its Fair October 20 to 24 inclusive.——James Calvin was arrested and brought here to-day for shooting at C. T. Hegwer and Bat Johnson, yesterday, during a fishing frolic near Bowman's mills.

CANTON, Mo., May 27.—The saw mill at Gregory's Landing blowed up this afternoon, about 3 o'clock, killing one man and mortally wounding four others. It is thought there are yet one or two men under the shattered frame about the saw mill. Those who are still living are so badly scalded and burned as to be unable to tell how it happened, but the boiler is supposed to be old and the concern altogether very shaky. The agent telegraphed here for a doctor, and no further particulars have been learned.

JOPLIN, May 27.—Two marriages of Joplin young ladies occurred yesterday, both teachers in the public schools here. Miss Ida J. Miller was united to the Deputy Sheriff of the County, Mr. Julius C. Miller, at the residence of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Wm. Buck of the M. E. Church. After a fine collation and the congratulations of many friends the happy pair drove to the new home prepared for his bride by the proud and happy groom. Miss Libbie Janett's union to Mr. J. M. Crabtree occurred at the residence of the lady's parents in Melrose, Kan. In the afternoon they drove over to Columbus and there held an informal reception to the bride's relatives. On Thursday they are expected home in Joplin and have engaged rooms at the Pacific Hotel until they go to housekeeping.——Mr. and Mrs. James Broadley and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen and Miss Gertie Allen, left yesterday by to be at the wedding of their relative, Miss Janett.——Mrs. H. A. Heathwood and Mr. A. J. Wenzenburgh have returned from their visit to friends at Olney, Ill.——Mrs. D. A. Barker of Girard, Kan., is visiting Mrs. L. C. McCarty, at the Joplin Hotel.——Mrs. James T. Brown of Pueblo, Col., and her daughter, Miss Brown, are also at the Joplin.

Our "Challenge" buggy harness; price, $16. Neat and durable. J. B. SICKLES SADDLERY CO.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Secretary Bayard will leave Washington on his western tour next Wednesday.

The United States vessels at Aspinwall have been ordered to proceed to Key West.

Tennyson's floral tribute to Victor Hugo bore the words, "To the World's Greatest Poet."

The British Afghan commission, when last heard from on May 23, was encamped twenty-five miles west of Herat.

The Journal des Debats, Paris, protests against the attempt to make it appear that Victor Hugo was an infidel.

Ed Anderson, an escaped prisoner from Weatherford, Tex., was captured at Vinita, I. T., Wednesday, and sent back.

The anniversary of the independence of the Argentine Republic was celebrated at Buenos Ayres, Wednesday.

Sheikh Melik, a descendant of the Kings of Argo, has been appointed by the Khedive governor of the province of Dongola.

Cecil R. Beebe, held at Toronto, Canada, for extradition to Portland, Oregon, for forging, was discharged Wednesday.

The annual police parade and review of the New York police, came off Wednesday afternoon. About 1,500 men were in line.

A heavy rainstorm at Atchison Wednesday did considerable damage. Over an inch and a half of water fell in an hour and a half.

The Caceres revolutionary forces took Truxillo, Peru, May 11. The Ingiesean government has sent 400 troops to recapture the town.

Cardinal Jinbert, Archbishop of Paris, and other clericals protest against interring Hugo's remains in the Pantheon, denouncing it as desecration.

Frank McCoy, a notorious burglar, was arrested in New York Tuesday, and will be sent to Delaware to serve an unexpired term in the Penitentiary.

Mrs. Skilton of Scottsboro shot at Henry Bynum four times Wednesday, on the public square, for defaming her character. Only one shot took effect.

Five American teachers and professors in the Tokio, Japan, University have been honored by the Japanese Emperor with the order of the Rising Sun.

A young man named J. M. Dougherty was arrested Wednesday, while in the act of jumping from the Brooklyn bridge. He was sent to jail for ten days.

Sir Charles Dilke, President of the Local Government Board, in an address at Dublin, Wednesday, said that the condition of the houses of the poor in Ireland is a disgrace to the age.

A Union soldier who, while a prisoner, joined the Confederate service with the alleged intention of escaping to the Union side, has been refused a pension on the ground that by his overt acts he did render aid and support to the Confederacy.

J. E. W. Kink, who was tried at Little Rock, Wednesday, for horse stealing, was convicted and sentenced to the Penitentiary for five years. His affianced, who was waiting in court to marry him upon his acquittal, was quite broken-hearted over the result.

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Via the Great Wabash Route, opens Sunday night, May 31. The shortest and quickest line to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Lake Minnetonka, Spirit Lake, and all the summer resorts of Iowa and Minnesota. New Pullman palace sleeping-cars between St. Louis and St. Paul and Minneapolis without change. This is the only night line out of St. Louis, saving passengers the heat, dust and tediousness of a long day ride. Ticket offices, No. 120 North Fourth street and the Union Depot.

Mr. Willich's Friends.

A number of friends of Mr. Louis Von Willich, the editor of the Laterne, gathered at his house, 1326 St. Ange avenue, to celebrate the forty-fourth birthday of that gentleman. The party was a large and a very pleasant one, and all sorts of good wishes were extended to the genial host. Mr. Kargau made the speech of the evening. After supper Mrs. Von Willich, Mrs. Kargau, Mrs. Roeslein and Mrs. McEnnis, with a volunteer chorus, consisting of the whole party, rendered some excellent music.

The Preacher Can't Preach

Unless he has good digestion and his blood is in prime condition. Sleepy sermons, weary congregations and broken down churches result from the best efforts of dyspepsic and debilitated clergymen. There is no better tonic and health restorer for the minister or any one else who is broken down than Brown's Iron Bitters. It is within the reach of every one of the 50,000 clergymen of this country. The Rev. T. Marshall West, Ellicott's Mills, Md., speaks with pleasure of how this valuable medicine cured his debility and dyspepsia.

Will Remain Until June.

The dens on Washington avenue that were illustrated and described a day or two since will not be cleaned out until the latter part of June. Captain Fruchte states they will receive attention when the new ordinance becomes a law. That property will be under the ban. Chief Harrigan says that the new regulations regarding the Social Evil will be rigidly enforced when the time comes. Until then the women will be given opportunity to vacate the prescribed districts.

Died at the Hospital.

Jeremiah C. Wyman died at the City Hospital yesterday afternoon. He had been in that institution since October 30, 1884. When admitted to the Hospital he was suffering from a contused wound in the knee caused by a plank falling on it. Amputation followed. The deceased had no friends here. He has relatives in Minneapolis who may send for the remains. The body was sent to the Morgue.

She Got the Divorce.

Mrs. Rosa King writes to state that in the suit for divorce brought by her husband, Charles King, she filed a cross-bill, upon which she was granted a decree of divorce and the custody of their son. She writes to correct an erroneous impression by stating that the divorce was granted to her and not to her husband.

For Sale at Public Auction.

Forty-six private boxes in the grand stand at the Fair Ground race course will be sold to the highest bidder for the seven days of the inaugural spring meeting—June 6 to 13—on Saturday, the 30th inst., at 5:30 o'clock p. m.

FERDUS J. WADE, Secretary.

A RESIDENT of Pine street writes to state that street walking by disreputable women after dark has not been stopped by the police, as was stated in a morning paper by Chief Harrigan, and that the residents of Olive, Chestnut and Pine streets, between Broadway and Twelfth street, are very indignant that such practices should be permitted to continue.

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GENTS'	American Calf Machine-Sewed Shoes, in all the nobby styles, immense variety	$3.00 to $4.50
GENTS'	Low Shoes, All the Latest Summer Styles	$2.00 to $6.00

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COLORED COAL MINERS.

An Elder's Troubles—Burglars Caught—Ruined by Gamblers—Missouri Items.

BEVIER, May 28.—A batch of 150 colored miners were put to work yesterday. Unless the railroad engineers refuse to haul the coal the strikers will be defeated.

ST. JOSEPH, May 28.—The bars were removed from one of the prison windows and seventeen prisoners made their escape. Six fishermen were jailed yesterday for seining fish in Lake Contrary. Fred Sutor, working in Burns' mill, had his right arm and both hands crushed in a corn sheller so that amputation will be necessary. O. F. Clark, a Chicago broker, and Alice Heddens of this city, were married here last night. Elder Goodloe, the pillar of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church, who was suspended from fellowship some time ago, tried to hold a protracted meeting in the church Tuesday night, but was ejected and arrested. Yesterday he was fined $25 for disturbing the peace, but took an appeal.

SHELBYVILLE, May 28.—Charles B. Gilbert and Aurelia Boone were married here yesterday.

HUNTSVILLE, May 28.—Eagan and Bruce Richmond were acquitted yesterday of the murder of Cliff Kirby last December.

LOUISIANA, May 28.—Fred Linkhorn, George Hawkins and John Sizemore were arrested yesterday on a charge of burglarizing a C. & A. freight car in September.

SEDALIA, May 28.—At the instance of J. D. Goodfellow, the defaulting agent of the Missouri Pacific Railroad at Boonville, Binx Berry, A. T. Shuler and J. C. Longan, gamblers, were arrested on a charge of having incited him to take the company's money and then robbed him of it in a skin game.

SAN ANTONIO, May 28.—Deputy Sheriff Ignacio Garcia fatally shot a horse-thief named Pedro Hernandes in the Mexican part of the city yesterday.

BERNHAM, May 28.—W. F. Simmons, answering the description of a man wanted in Missouri for murder, was arrested yesterday.

MINERAL WELLS, May 28.—Frank Baum was struck dead by lightning while sitting in the midst of his family, who escaped unhurt.

WACO, May 28.—A storm last night destroyed the partially completed residence of City Attorney Blair. Lessing & Co.'s wholesale dry goods store was unroofed with a loss of $5,000 and several other business establishments suffered in less degree.

In order to enrich the blood, and thus impart fresh vigor to an enfeebled system; to stimulate a sluggish digestion with the nutritional invigorant, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which, by infusing energy into the operations of the stomach, promotes, naturally assisted thereto, digestion and assimilation, and consequent nutrition. A gain in appetite, vigor and flesh is invariably found to follow a course of this despite edly popular tonic, which is, moreover, a reliable preventive of malarial fevers. For sale by all Druggists and Dealers generally.

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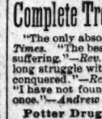

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, WASHINGTON, D. C., May 9, 1885.

Sealed proposals, indorsed proposals for beef, and directed to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C., will be received until 1 p. m. on Wednesday, June 10, 1885, for furnishing beef for the following agencies:

6,500,000 pounds for Pine Ridge Agency, Dak.
6,500,000 pounds for Rosebud Agency, Dak.
600,000 pounds for Yankton Agency, Dak.
800,000 pounds for Crow Creek Agency, Dak.
80,000 pounds net for Western Shoshone Agency, Nev.
10,000 pounds net for Colorado River Agency, Ariz.
14,800 pounds net for Navajo School and Agency, N. M.
8,000 pounds net for Pima School, Ariz.

The contract for beef will be for good, merchantable, and all offered under any contract will be subject to rigid inspection.

The cattle to be furnished on the hoof must be steers and cows (no bulls or stags), not over 7 years of age, and must average not less than 850 pounds gross at each delivery from May 1 to December 1; and not less than 800 pounds gross from December 1 to May 1; except that not less than 700 pounds, and no animal shall be received that will not less than 50 per centum of its gross weight from May 1 to December 1, or less than 45 per centum from December 1, to May 1, excepting in the Territories of Arizona, (cattle for Arizona to be natives of that Territory or adjacent thereto), New Mexico and the Indian Territory, where the average from May 1, to December 1, must be not less than 750 pounds, gross, at each delivery; and from December 1, to May 1, not less than 700 pounds, gross; no animal to weigh less than 650 pounds, or not less than 45 per centum of its gross weight.

The price must be figured gross, but for all cows delivered under any contract a discount of twenty (20) per centum from the proposed price will be made. All will be required that bids for beef for all northern agencies shall specify whether the cattle were wintered north or south of the south line of Kansas.

The net beef shall be good quality and condition, fit for immediate use, and from fore and hind quarter meat proportionately, including all the best cuts thereof.

Beef from bulls, stags, or diseased cattle shall not be delivered. The necks of the cattle slaughtered for beef shall be cut off at the fourth vertebral joint, and the breast trimmed down. The shanks or fore quarters shall be cut off four inches above the knee joint, and of hind quarters eight inches above the hock joint. Necks, shanks, and kidney fallow will not be received.

In making the awards the rights will be reserved to increase or diminish to any extent the quantity called for, and the further right to increase or diminish the amounts specified in any contract, to an extent not exceeding twenty-five per centum.

No bids will be considered from persons who have in any respect defaulted in any bid heretofore made. Any or all bids, or any part of any bid, will be rejected if deemed for the best interests of the government. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or draft upon some United States depository, or the First National Bank of Los Angeles, California, payable to the order of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, which check or draft shall be not less than five per centum of the amount of the proposal.

Bonds to be furnished, and shall be forfeited to the United States in case any bidder receiving an award shall fail to execute promptly a contract with good and sufficient sureties according to the terms of his bid, otherwise to be returned to the bidder.

JOHN D. C. ATKINS, Commissioner.

ST. LOUIS, May 19, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Cass Avenue and Fair Grounds Railway Company will be held at the office of said company, No. 341 North Second street, St. Louis, on Wednesday, June 3, 1885, for the election of directors and transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting. Polls open from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

C. C. MAFFITT, President.

PAUL A. FORE, Secretary.

ST. LOUIS, May 19, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Helena and New Orleans Transportation Company will be held at the office of said Company, No. 401 North Second street, St. Louis, on Wednesday, June 3, 1885, for the election of directors and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting. Polls open from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

C. C. MAFFITT, President.

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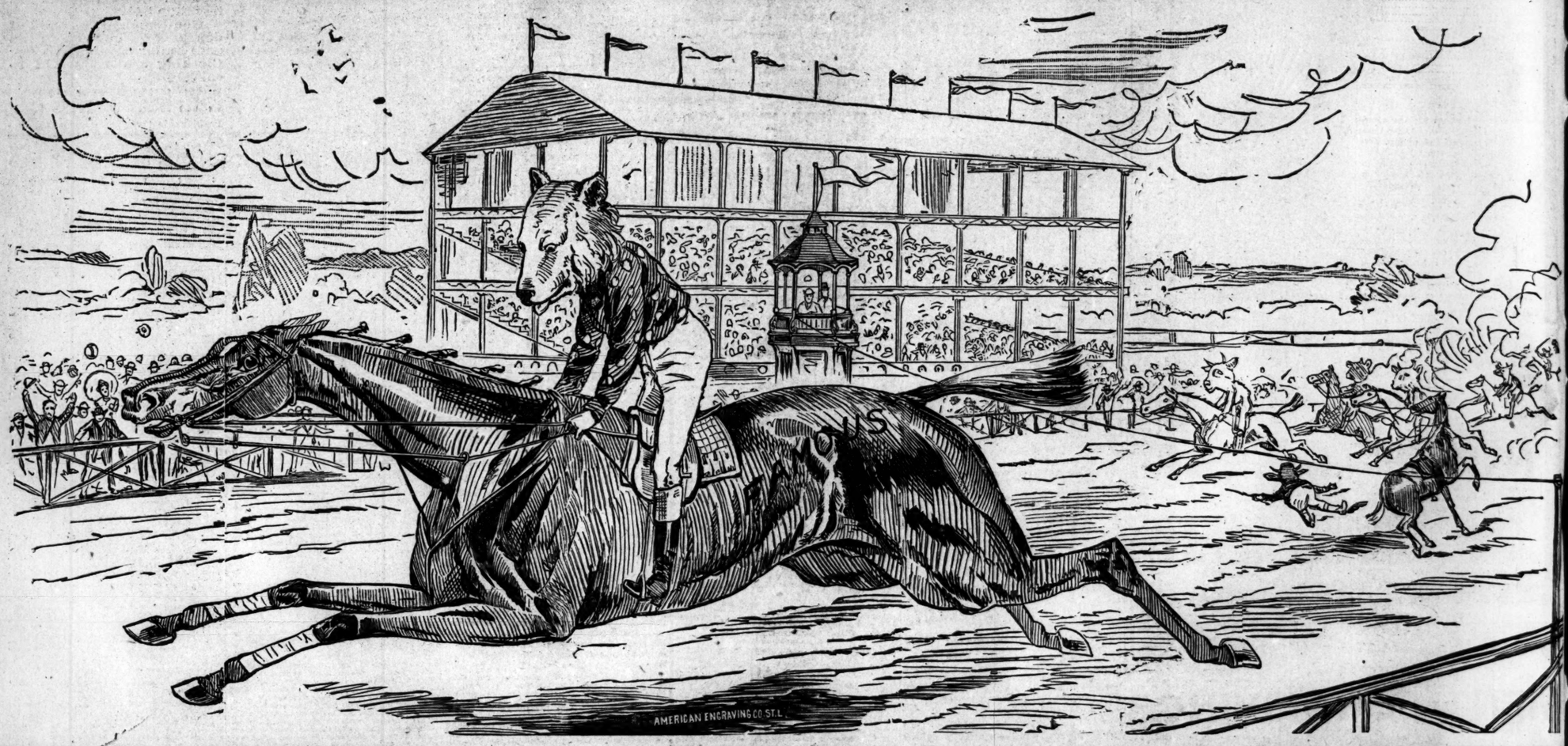

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$28,000 in Clothing sold to Country Merchants during the past three weeks, who claim that our quoted Retail Prices Beat the Manufacturers' Over 25 Per Cent. If you need a Suit for Man, Boy or Child, **COME TO "FAMOUS" THIS WEEK.**

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THE BIG DRIVE OF THE SEASON IN MEN'S AND YOUTHS' PANTALOONS.

We have just purchased for SPOT CASH the entire product of three Large Pantaloon Manufacturers, closing out over $48,000 worth of New Spring Stock for $23,000. It was theold trouble of too much stock on hand, and FAMOUS Helped Them Out of the Scrape, and now we propose to give our TROUSER-WEARING CUSTOMERS a regular picnic. Here they are: 15 Styles Nobby Spring Cassimere Pants at $1 45, worth $2 50 and $3. 13 styles at $1 95, worth $3 and $3 50. 17 styles at $2 45, worth $3 50 and $4. 21 styles at $2 95, worth $4 and $4 50. 19 styles at $3 45, worth $4 50 and $5 50. 23 styles at $3 95, worth $5 to $6. The prices we have placed on these goods will not pay for the raw material.

MEN'S AND YOUTHS' SUITS

No Shoddy Goods Sold at "Famous."

$3 It looks like a quiet little joke to offer a bona fide strictly All-wool Suit for a full-grown man or youth for a sum that hardly pays for the trimmings, leaving out the raw material, but it's one of those astonishing facts which we sometimes present the public—in fact, one of the results of the "Famous" Bear movement. Come and see them.

A Chance for Non-Bondholders

$4.65 You are pretty familiar with our $4 65 line of ALL-WOOL SUITS by this time, as we've advertised them frequently since the BEAR GOT ON A RAMPAGE among the High-Price Bulls. But in order to make the assortment still more attractive, we have added this week several more styles in Cassimeres, Cheviots, Navy-blue and Green Diagonals, in Sacks and Business Frocks. They beat any $10 Suit our competitors can show, with 15 to 20 different patterns to choose from.

$7.65. For Men Who Prefer Comfort and Substance to Style.

Several additions to our $7 65 line of GENTS' and YOUTHS' ALL-WOOL SUITS this week. Some twenty styles now to choose from in Black and Fancy Cheviots, Corkscrews, Worsteds, Diagonals, Cassimeres and full Indigo-Dyed Blue Flannels and Genuine Middlesex Goods in assorted Plaids, Checks and attractive mixtures. A man of moderate means needing a good Business Suit should see them. They are big bargains at our figure, costing you from $10 to $15 outside of the BEAR DEN.

Satisfaction and a Good Fit Guaranteed.

$10 00 $12 50 A BUSINESS SUIT that will stand the racket and look neat and stylish through a full season's wear, is just the thing a great many people are hunting for at a moderate price. Now, we'll do better than MODERATE. We'll give you a choice of 31 different styles of Nobby All-wool Suits in CASSIMERES, CORKSCREWS, WORSTEDS, BLUE YACHT CLOTH, FLANNELS and DIAGONALS, made up in Sacks, Cutaways and Business Frocks, and among them a line of GRAND ARMY SUITS, superior to the celebrated Middlesex Goods. We are from $5 to $7 50 under the market price on our $10 and $12 50 lines, and a Suit from the lot will prove a good investment for you.

MEN'S AND YOUTHS' SUITS.

FOR DRESS OR BUSINESS WEAR.

$15 We'd like for every business man in St. Louis to see our Great Line of $15 Suits, and we wouldn't object to the merchant tailors and so-called Low Priced Clothiers taking a peep at them. They are certainly superior to anything in the way of a $20 or $25 Suit offered in this city for years, and they are fit for the neatest dresser in the land to put on and wear. We show at this price 89 different patterns in Fine Cassimeres, Cheviots, Worsteds and Corkscrews. We can suit any of you—even the extra long and moderately fat—and whether your fancy runs to a Sack, Business Frock, or Nobby Cutaway, you will find it in our unapproachable assortment at $15. We have added to them this week a full line of extra fine Suits in all the pronounced Styles, from the manufactory of Stein, Block & Co., Rochester, N. Y., well known among Clothiers and Consumers as Makers and Designers of Men's and Youths' Correct-fitting and Stylish Garments. Your tailor would ask you $45 for one of these Suits. Included in our $15 line will be found all the Novelties in Tourists' Norfolk and Bicycle Suits, in addition to the regular styles for Business and Dress. See them this week at "FAMOUS." **$15**

$16.50 The "FAMOUS" Bear had a special eye for the tony dressers and ultra fashionable gents in placing before them such a magnificent assortment of Stylish and Extra Fine Suits as are represented in our superb assortment at $16 50 and $18 50, including among the many styles shown makes of Jessup & Co. and other noted manufacturers of tailor-made garments, one and four-button Cutaway Frocks, Low-roll, Straight-front and Cutaway Sacks and handsome Cassimeres, Choice Worsteds and Cheviots in a variety of nobby and attractive patterns represented, and we may safely add that we can suit any taste or fancy from the lot. $25 to $35 will be the tariff anywhere excepat t "FAMOUS." Is not the difference worth saving? **$18.50**

A WORD TO STYLISH DRESSERS.

$20, Worth $40 "How much for a Suit of Imported Corkscrew, cut in the latest style and trimmed a la mode?" asked a gentleman of one of our fashionable tailors a few days ago. "Now, remember," continued the gent, "I want the best fabric you have, first-class trimmings, and a FIT!" The Knight of the Goose and Shears—after sizing his customer up and mentally calculating the depth of his purse—modestly stated that "$65 00 would be ABOUT the correct figure." The gent concluded that the tariff was too high, and dropped out to join the rapidly-increasing throng who patronize FAMOUS daily and benefit thereby. Now, we'd like to say just a brief word to gentlemen whose ideas have never fallen below the $65 limit—"Come to FAMOUS." We can supply you with a first-class Imp. Corkscrew, Cassimere, or Worsted Suit, cut and trimmed in the top of the style, in any shade or pattern you wish, and save you over 100 per cent on the cost of same. In our $20 line Jessup & Co., of New York, and other noted makers of strictly fine and fashionable Clothing are represented. We don't ask you to come to us first. Go to your tailor, then to your favorite clothier—if it don't happen to be Famous—then come to the BEAR DEN, and if we fail to satisfy you in every particular, as regards an Extra Fine DRESS or BUSINESS SUIT, we are perfectly willing that you should drop your shekels elsewhere and pay THREE PRICES too much. Remember, WE are BEAR HEADQUARTERS, and are the only concern in the country giving the consumer the FULL VALUE OF HIS MONEY. If you need a Fine Suit for Dress or Business wear, come and see us.

OUR BIG DRIVE IN VESTS.

$3.50 FOR $1 00 is pretty fair odds to offer these times in a Staple Summer Garment as useful and cool as a VEST, but we do it at Bear Headquarters, where we offer this week a large invoice of Linen, Duck and Imported White, Figured and Fancy Marseilles Vests for Gents and Youths, at $1, the actual value of the goods being $2 to $3 50.

1,000 Spring-weight Cassimere Vests from broken suits on sale this week. They are worth $1 50. You can take your choice for 50c. KEEP COOL AND VISIT OUR VEST DEPARTMENT.

BOYS' and CHILDREN'S SUITS

The Ladies Indorse Us.

If there is anything to be had in the shape of an extra good bargain wherever traffic goes on, whether in the sleepy bazars of Constantinople or in the active, bustling thoroughfares of an American town, the Ladies are sure to find it out, and if there is anything that can make a merchant feel that he is on the right road to prosperity it is to have the continued patronage of the Ladies. OUR BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT has illustrated this agreeable state of things, and for the past three or four weeks of our Great Suit Sale, each day has seen increasing throngs selecting Bargains in Boys' and Children's Suits so liberally advertised by "Famous," and offered at such tempting figures.

We have added this week to our $3 50, $4, $4 50 and $5 lines of BOYS' ALL-WOOL KNEE-PANT SUITS many new and attractive styles, and when we tell you that these goods are worth DOUBLE the money, we mean that outside of "Famous" they will cost you at least 100 Per Cent more than we ask.

In our $5 LINE OF BOYS' LONG-PANT SCHOOL and DRESS SUITS, ages 13 to 17, we show choice All-wool Cassimeres and Cheviots, worth from $8 to $10 anywhere in the country.

In our $6 50 and $7 50 lines for the same ages, we show all the novelties in BICYCLE, ROLLER-SKATING and NORFOLK SUITS, besides the regular styles worth from $10 to $15, and in our TEN DOLLAR LINE OF IMPORTED Woolens for extra fine wear, the price in competing houses would be from $15 to $20. We supply you with LOVELY SAILOR SUITS for Boys, 4 to 12, in nobby FLANNELS at $2 50 to $7 50, and our assortment of KILTS for the Little Fellows is simply superb.

Remember, everything goes at BEAR DEN prices, and we guarantee you a big saving on your investment when you trade with "FAMOUS."

BOYS' PANTALOONS in every conceivable shade, mixture and style for Short Boys, Long Boys, Fat Boys and all sorts of Boys, any price you desire and enough for all the youngsters in town.

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